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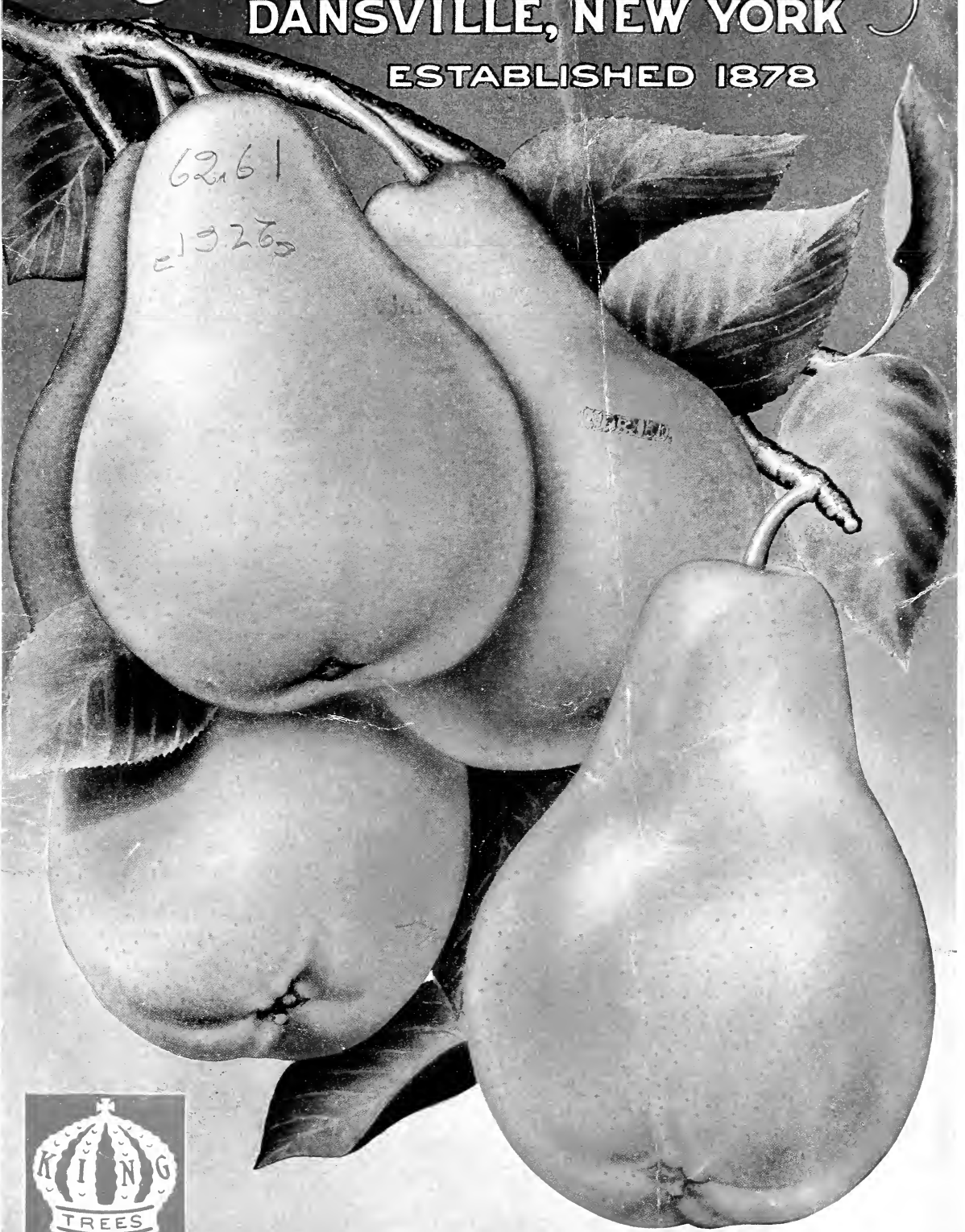
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# King Brothers Nurseries

DANSVILLE, NEW YORK

ESTABLISHED 1878





From small beginnings in 1878—our modern packing and shipping cellar, one of the largest in the United States. Capacity for handling over 2,000,000 trees and plants during the Spring season. Shipping facilities unexcelled.

## INTRODUCTORY

To our friends and customers throughout the country who have favored us with their patronage and good will, we first of all express our thanks in the opening paragraph of this, our latest catalogue.

Year after year, we come to you with our offerings for the season and your orders have kept us employed in furnishing you with our quality nursery products. The business and the number of your orders have grown with the years and we know you are glad to rejoice with us in the measure of success we have attained. We have had good years and bad years in our long history and through experience we have learned to meet the forces of Nature and produce stock that we challenge any competitor to excel. We are not newcomers in the nursery field. Martin King, at the time these lines are written, one of the oldest living nurserymen in America, and the founder of King Brothers Nurseries, began in 1878 planting in a small way on choice plots of fertile soil up and down the Genesee Valley and here at Dansville. Scores of young men who afterward became owners of nurseries themselves were trained in his nurseries. The growth of the nursery business through the years in this valley and township of Dansville can be best told in the words here quoted from the Dansville Express, a local newspaper, in its issue of December 18th, 1925.

### A BIG BUSINESS

If you were told that in the village there was an industry that was sending to the four corners of the United States, and for that matter, different parts of the world, a product which if loaded in freight cars would take four trains of ninety cars each loaded to full capacity, you might hesitate to believe the story, however, the statement is true.

In this village today the wholesale and retail nursery business is doing a tremendous volume of business.

There has been shipped this Fall, and there is stored in the seven storage houses

ready for shipment in the Spring, over a million and a half of trees.

Last Fall 125 solid carloads of trees were shipped over the Dansville & Mt. Morris Railroad, 15 carloads that were boxed and then shipped, and 16 were routed over the Delaware, Lackawanna & Western, 10 carloads of express and thirty truckloads were sent away to Rochester and Geneva and Newark, N. Y., for good measure.

Five hundred men and women are employed a greater part of the time in this business of furnishing trees and shrubs to the four quarters of the United States and other countries as well.

The factors that have made for the success of the business here are the soil and climate which is particularly adapted to the growth of nursery stock and the skilled nurserymen who have been trained through three generations in the art of growing and handling trees. The writer of these lines remembers how, as a little boy, he helped to wind the waxed string on the tiny Apple seedling grafts and tie the buds in the nursery row during the long Summer days. These little seedlings have today grown to full matured and bearing trees in orchard and farm and garden throughout the United States.

Our catalogue this year has been revised and rewritten so as to bring it up to the minute. We have added to our list of varieties kinds that have proven of high quality and value. We have described our nurseries and the stock we have to offer accurately and honestly. We have an exceptionally choice and splendid lot of trees and plants for Spring and we are ready and equipped to give you careful and prompt service.

We will thank our old customers to remember us to your friends and neighbors who may need trees and show them the stock you now have growing which have come from our nurseries. A copy of this catalogue will be mailed them on request.

Our experience is ever at your disposal. Write us for information about trees or plantings. Your letters will have our prompt and painstaking attention. An order of any size, however large or small, will receive our thorough care. It is always cheapest to buy the best nursery stock. You are sure of the best in dealing with Kings.

We look forward to the opportunity to serve you this year and to send you stock which will bring you both pleasure and profit and permanent satisfaction through the years.

KING BROTHERS NURSERIES, Inc.

By its President.

# Planting Instructions

**CARE OF STOCK ON ARRIVAL.** The best results are obtained by planting all stock immediately on arrival. If not convenient to do so, open the bundles and heel the roots in a well-drained moist piece of sandy ground. Pack the earth thoroughly around the roots and water frequently until the trees are planted.

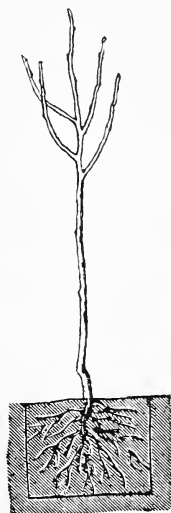
**PRUNING ROOTS AND TOPS.** All broken and mutilated portions of roots should be cut off so as to leave smooth, sound ends. Cut back one-half of the limb growth on all fruit trees. When planting evergreens, prune the roots only.

**SOIL DRAINAGE.** All hollows or wet places must be avoided when selecting positions for planting. Well-drained soil is absolutely necessary.

**PLANTING.** Dig the holes deep enough so that the trees with the roots spread out will set one inch deeper than they were in the nursery row and wide enough to admit all the roots without twisting them out of their natural position. One person should hold the tree upright while another fills the hole about one-fourth with rich, moist, pulverized earth. This is packed around the roots thoroughly and a bucket of water put in. The balance of the hole is then filled and packed firmly. A mulch of straw or litter is then placed around the tree to a depth of from 3 to 5 inches.



**Fig. 1**  
Top left without pruning and roots crowded together.  
**SURE TO DIE**



**Fig. 2**  
Top properly pruned and cut back, and roots trimmed and carefully spread out.  
**SURE TO LIVE**

**WATERING NEWLY PLANTED STOCK.** If the ground is dry, the stock should be watered frequently and the top 2 or 3 inches of the soil loosened up and pulverized to prevent evaporation of moisture from the soil underneath this layer. A mulch of straw or grass clippings may be placed around the trees for this same purpose.

**SHAPING THE TREES.** When the new growth starts there should be from four to five limbs allowed to grow on most fruit trees. The remaining sprouts should be removed as they start growth. After these new branches have grown out from 1 to 2 feet, the ends should be pinched off and they will be forced to branch again. This should be done several times during the first summer until well shaped heads have been formed. Evergreen trees should be allowed to branch close to the ground and kept headed back occasionally.

**CULTIVATION.** The soil should be kept loosened up for a depth of from 2 to 3 inches around newly planted trees during the first summer. This should be done frequently as it prevents the soil underneath from drying out. Where it is impossible to keep the soil cultivated, a mulch of straw or long manure 4 or 5 inches deep should be employed.

**TRIMMING SHRUBBERY.** From one-third to one-half of the top of newly planted shrubbery should be removed unless the planting is done in the fall, when the trimming should be deferred until early in the following spring.

**PROTECTION DURING WINTER MONTHS.** The more delicate varieties require some winter protection. This is secured by placing a mulch about 2 inches deep around the plants after the ground has become frozen. This prevents the alternate freezing and thawing which breaks off the more delicate roots just below the frost line.

STATE OF NEW YORK  
DEPARTMENT OF FARMS AND MARKETS  
BERNE A. PYRKE, Commissioner.

Certificate of Inspection of Nursery Stock

This is to certify that the nursery stock of **King Brothers Nurseries**, of Dansville, County of Livingston, State of New York, was duly examined in compliance with the provisions of Article 14 of the Farms and Markets Law, and was found to be apparently free from any contagious or infectious disease or diseases, or the San Jose scale or other dangerously injurious insect pest or pests. This certificate expires September 1, 1926.

Dated, Albany, N. Y., September 19, 1925.

BERNE A. PYRKE, Commissioner.

By GEO. G. ATWOOD, Director Bureau of Plant Industry.

## Conditions of Sale

### Prepaid Transportation

**to all points in the following states on orders of \$7.50 or more:**

New York, Massachusetts, Rhode Island, Connecticut, Maine, New Hampshire, Vermont, New Jersey, Pennsylvania, Delaware, Maryland, West Virginia, Ohio, Indiana, and Michigan.

To all other states east of the Rocky Mountains we pay one-half the transportation charges and our customers the other half. States west of the Rockies, we pay one-fourth transportation charges.

**This applies to all orders of \$7.50 or more.**

Customers pay the express on orders of less than \$7.50. The charge which you pay the expressman will run on these small orders from 25c. to \$1.00, depending on the size of the bale and distance.

**On all orders amounting to \$7.50 or more, we lay the stock down at your station, fresh from our nurseries, all transportation charges paid by us.**

### OUR GUARANTEE:

First—We guarantee our trees to reach you in a live, thrifty condition, and to be free from all plant diseases.

Second—It is obviously to our advantage to have all stock that leaves our nursery true to name and satisfactory to the purchaser. In the event that any nursery stock sold by us should prove untrue to name under which it is sold, we hereby agree, on proof of such untruthfulness to name, to replace the original order or to refund the purchase price. Except to such liability and in respect to all nursery stock sold by us, we give no warranty, expressed or implied, as to description, quality, productiveness, or any other matter.

### TERMS:

Our terms are cash with the order. You may send us the money by Registered Letter, Post Office Money Order, New York Draft, or your own personal check.

### RATES:

Fifty trees or plants at hundred rates, provided there is not less than ten of any one variety.

### ORDER EARLY—8% DISCOUNT

We allow 8% discount on all cash orders sent us before April 1st, ORDER EARLY so we may reserve the trees to be shipped when you want them. After April 1st, 3% discount will be allowed.

### NUMBER OF TREES TO PLANT PER ACRE

Number of trees required per acre planted in squares.

Feet apart	Number per acre	Feet apart	Number per acre
50x50.....	17	15x15.....	205
40x40.....	27	12x12.....	302
35x35.....	35	10x10.....	433
30x30.....	50	8x8.....	680
33x33.....	40	5x5.....	1,725
25x25.....	70	4x4.....	2,725
20x20.....	108	3x3.....	4,840
18x18.....	133		

### DISTANCES FOR PLANTING

Apples 25 to 30 feet for fillers, 40 to 50 feet for permanent trees. Standard Pears, 20 to 25 feet apart. Dwarf Pears, 10 to 12 feet. Peaches, Plums and Apricots, 16 to 20 feet. Sour Cherries, 18 to 23 feet. Sweet Cherries, 25 to 40 feet. Quinces, 10 to 12 feet. Grapes—rows, 10 to 16 feet apart, 8 to 10 feet in rows. Currants and Gooseberries, 4 feet apart. Raspberries and Blackberries, 4 to 5 feet apart.



## Apples

Apple growing in the United States has become one of the most important and profitable branches of horticulture. The American people are consuming more and more apples in proportion to population with each passing year. Plantings have not kept pace with our growth in population and the increasing popularity of this most healthful fruit.

Apple Trees should be planted on elevated ground, and require fertile soil.

Our trees are all budded on whole root apple seedlings, producing a vigorous root system.

### Prices on all the varieties

	Height		Each	Per 10	Per 100
Largest size, 2-year.....	6 to 7 ft.	XXX	\$ .85	\$8.00	\$55.00
Medium size, 2-year.....	5 to 6 ft.	XX	.80	7.50	50.00
Smaller size, 2-year.....	4 to 5 ft.	X	.75	7.00	45.00
Largest size, 1-year.....	3 ft. and up.	Sturdy buds	.80	7.50	50.00

## Summer Varieties

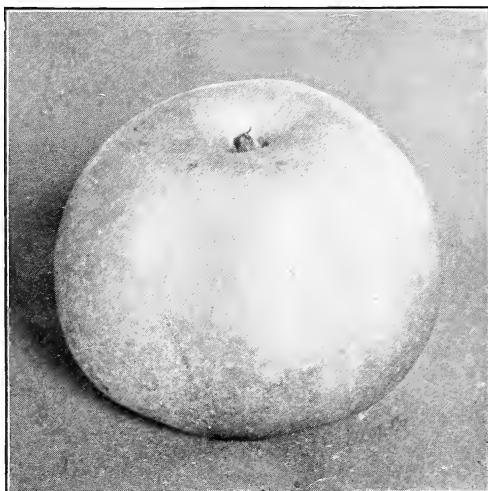
**BOUGH (Sweet Bough).** The Bough is one of our finest Summer Apples, having all the good qualities which would recommend the fruit for general cultivation. August.

**EARLY HARVEST.** One of the earliest Summer Apples, of medium size, pale yellow, sub-acid flavor, excellent for dessert or culinary use. Middle of August.

**RED ASTRACHAN.** A beautiful early Summer Apple of medium size; yellow curved with light and dark red; highly esteemed for home use. Tree very hardy. Vigorous grower, bears young. July to August.

**YELLOW TRANSPARENT.** An early and prolific bearer. Fruit medium sized, slightly conical, pale yellow color; flesh tender, juicy, sub-acid. One of the best Summer Apples. August.

**WILLIAMS EARLY RED.** Medium sized, dark red. Very early. Brings top price in eastern markets.



Red Astrachan Apple

### KING'S APPLE TREES MONEY MAKERS

FREDERICK W. FLEITZ, EST. OWNERS OF 1600 ACRES OF ORCHARDS IN PENNSYLVANIA

WILLIAM C. SPROUL

FARMS AT  
VOSBURG  
BENTON  
MECANICSBURG

FLEITZ & SPROUL  
FRUIT FARMS

HOMER B. HOWE  
GENERAL MANAGER

GENERAL OFFICE: BENTON, COLUMBIA CO., PA.

December 10, 1922

King Brothers Nurseries, Dansville, N. Y.

Gentlemen: We have just completed this season's work in several of our young orchards and we are so well pleased with the particular orchards, planted from trees purchased from you, that we feel that we owe you the recognition that your trees and business dealings with us merit, especially so after taking into consideration some lots of trees purchased elsewhere and handled identically, that have not done near as well for us.

The carload of trees we purchased from you and planted in the Spring of 1916 are now beginning to show fruit. We are much pleased with these trees, as we have found them true to name, and healthy.

Wishing you continued success,

We remain, very truly yours,  
FLEITZ & SPROUL.

Per HOMER B. HOWE, Gen. Mgr.

**APPLES—Continued**

## Autumn Varieties

**ALEXANDER.** A very large Apple, attractive red, coarse in texture, medium in quality, suitable for culinary rather than dessert use. Ripens from September to November.

**DUCHESS OF OLDENBURG.** Red striped and white in color, of splendid flavor; greatly esteemed for cooking. It ripens early and can be classed as a Summer or early Fall Apple. Valuable on account of its great hardiness. August and September.

**FALL PIPPIN.** A large yellowish green Apple, pleasant sub-acid flavor, fine quality for kitchen or market use. September and October.

**GRAVENSTEIN.** Fruit large; red, striped with yellow. Crisp, tender and of delightful flavor, fine for culinary use. September to November.

**MAIDEN'S BLUSH.** A beautiful Apple of pale lemon color with crimson cheek; flesh white, sprightly, of fair flavor and quality. September and October.

**RAMBO.** Medium sized, yellow streaked with red, flesh tender and crisp. October to December.

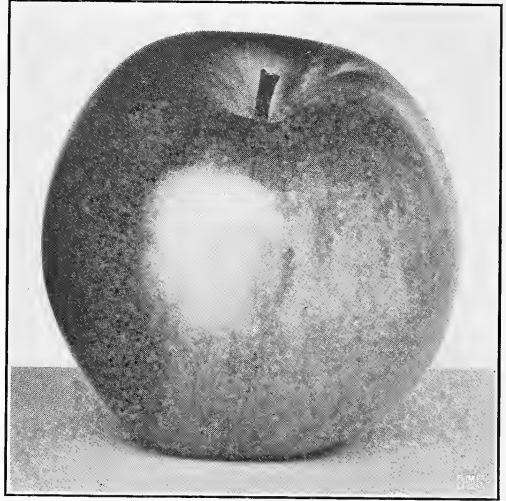
## Winter Varieties

**ARKANSAS (Mammoth Black Twig).** A late keeping Winter Apple, rather large, of good red color and good quality. December to April.

**BALDWIN.** The Baldwin is a bright red Winter Apple, above medium in size or large, and very good in quality. It is a favorite market variety because of its desirable season, good size, attractive red color, and good quality. December to March. Trees vigorous, upright and productive. Ripens in November and lasts until May.

**BANANA (Winter Banana).** A very large, clear, pale yellow Apple, with a beautiful pinkish red blush, characteristically aromatic, of good dessert quality. A good keeper. Tree a strong grower, and on account of its hardiness will thrive in any climate. Bears early, generally producing a fine crop the second year. November to January.

**BEN DAVIS.** The tree is hardy, healthy and vigorous, comes into bearing at an early age and bears annually and abundantly. The fruit is beautiful in appearance and one of the best keeping Apples on the market today. November to April.



**Winter Banana Apple**

**DELICIOUS.** A comparatively new variety of tested merit. It has its own distinctive shape and dark red color shading to golden yellow at the blossom end. The flesh is fine grained, juicy and melting. It is a good cropper and a good shipper. The trees are hardy and vigorous, bear heavily and regularly. November to April.

**FAMEUSE (Snow Apple).** A handsome, small deep red Apple with white flesh of distinctive and delicious flavor. October to December.

**GANO.** Similar to Ben Davis but of better quality. Less striped in appearance, has more of a solid deep red color, stands handling well and a good keeper. December to March.

**GRIMES' GOLDEN.** This is a beautiful rich golden Apple of splendid quality for dessert or culinary use, of rich sub-acid flavor. Tree is very hardy and productive, and one of the best fillers, as it comes into bearing very early. December to April.

**HUBBARDSTON NONSUCH (American Blush).** This Apple is one of the earliest bearers we have. It ripens between the Fall varieties and the late ripening Winter Apples. Its quality is of the very best, crisp, tender and rich; attractive pale red color. November to March.

**JONATHAN.** Bears early and abundantly; fruit of medium size, deep red and yellow, with flesh tender, juicy and rich. Will keep without special care and also stand much handling. November to January.





### APPLES—Continued

**KING (Tompkins County).** A standard commercial variety. Fruit large, beautiful, of excellent quality; commands the highest price in the Fall. Tree a vigorous grower, good bearer and hardy. November to January.

**McINTOSH RED.** Fruit medium sized, of attractive red color; flesh white and of excellent flavor, tender and juicy. Tree hardy, vigorous, a good annual bearer, comes into fruiting early, yielding large crops. One of the best fillers for commercial orchards. October to January.

**NORTHERN SPY.** The standard of excellence for quality; commands the best price in the eastern market. Fruit large, red and of delightful flavor; keeps well, ships well, splendid for both dessert and culinary use. Tree very healthy, strong grower. Blooms very late, escaping frosts. December to March.

**NORTH WESTERN GREENING.** A very large, round, greenish yellow Winter Apple, splendid for dessert use. It is a fine keeper and shipper. October to April.

**OPALESCENT.** This is one of the most beautiful apples grown and we know of no variety better fitted to compete with the showy fruit from the Northwest than this variety.

**RHODE ISLAND GREENING.** Fruit large, light greenish yellow, rich, tender and juicy; excellent for cooking; a valuable commercial sort. One of the best cooking Apples and good for table use. Tree large, strong, vigorous, wide spreading. December to April.

**ROME BEAUTY.** A handsome red Apple, now being extensively planted even as far north as New York, on account of the early bearing habit of the trees and the excellent quality of the fruit, combined with its good keeping qualities. Good grower, blooms late, bears heavily every year, is adapted to a wide range of soils, elevations and conditions. December to May.

**ROXBURY RUSSET.** A popular russet Apple of medium size, excellent keeper. Tree free grower, spreading, a great bearer. December to May.

**SMOKEHOUSE.** A pleasant flavored dessert Apple; fruit medium in size, yellow and red color. October to March.

**STARK.** Fruit large to medium, pale green becoming yellow and blushed and mottled with red, striped with darker red; tender, juicy, sprightly, mild sub-acid flavor; it is a good keeper. January to May.

**STAYMAN'S WINESAP.** A dark red Apple with indistinct stripes, absolutely the best of all the Winesaps. Flesh firm and crisp, of very finest quality. Tree vigorous, hardy, spreading, an early bearer and very productive. Splendid late keeper. December to April.

**SPITZENBURG (Esopus.)** Unequaled for its high rich flavor, color deep red; flesh yellow, crisp, rich and excellent. December to March.

**SUTTON BEAUTY.** Its uniform size, symmetrical shape, beautiful color and pleasant quality combine to make Sutton an excellent dessert Apple. November to March.

**TOLMAN SWEET.** Esteemed for pickling, boiling and baking. A large yellow Apple of excellent quality. Will grow anywhere that Apples can be grown. Productive, an early bearer, long keeper. November to April.

**TWENTY OUNCE.** Fruit very large, yellow striped with red; flesh firm, rich and sweet. Tree vigorous grower, productive. October to January.

**WAGENER.** Bears young and is an Apple of superior excellence. Fruit medium to large, deep red in the sun; flesh firm, well flavored, sub-acid. Desirable for culinary use and especially esteemed for dessert. Good grower, and a reliable cropper. Good filler for orchards. December to May.

**WEALTHY.** One of the best early red Winter Apples. Fruit large, skin smooth, oily, covered with a dark red. Flesh white, tender, sub-acid, quality very good. Valuable for cold climates on account of its hardness. Abundant bearer. October to January.

**WINESAP.** One of the oldest and most popular varieties in America. Fruit medium sized and deep red, good quality. Moderate grower and abundant bearer. Favorite market variety in the West. December to May.

**WOLF RIVER.** A valuable hardy variety. Tree a very good grower and early bearer. Fruit sells well because of its attractive appearance; it is of the largest size and of fair quality. September to December.

**YELLOW NEWTOWN (Albemarle Pippin).** It is a large yellow apple of excellent quality and a good keeper.

**YORK IMPERIAL.** A fine, hardy, large red Winter Apple; succeeds over a wide range of territory. Comes into bearing at four years from planting, bears regularly and heavily. Fruit medium size. Does best on heavy soils. Popular in New York and Pennsylvania. November to February.

## Crab Apples

### Same Price as Standard Apple

**GEN. GRANT.** Large; yellow striped with dark red; mild, sub-acid. Tree an erect, vigorous grower. October to December.

**HYSLOP.** Large; very dark brilliant red; vigorous and hardy. Very popular because of its large size, beautiful red color and hardness. Good for preserves, jellies and cider. October and November.

**TRANSCENDENT.** Fruit from one and one-half to two inches in diameter. Yellow, striped with red; juicy, crisp and the best of its class for cider and all other purposes. Bears young and produces immense crops annually. Valuable for making jelly. September to October.

## Sweet Cherries

In no place in the United States do cherry, plum and pear trees grow in larger numbers and of better quality than at Dansville. Ideal climatic conditions exist here for the development of firm textured, vigorous trees. The largest cherry orchardists and nurserymen in the West come to us at Dansville for cherry, plum and pear trees. Cherry trees do best on light, well drained soils. The sour varieties are extremely hardy and are planted extensively for canning. The sweet sorts are noted for their rapid growth, fine shade and luscious fruit.

**Pruning Cherry**—Five or six good limbs, well distributed around the trunk will be sufficient to form a well balanced top. The limbs left after pruning should not be cut back as severely as recommended for some other classes.

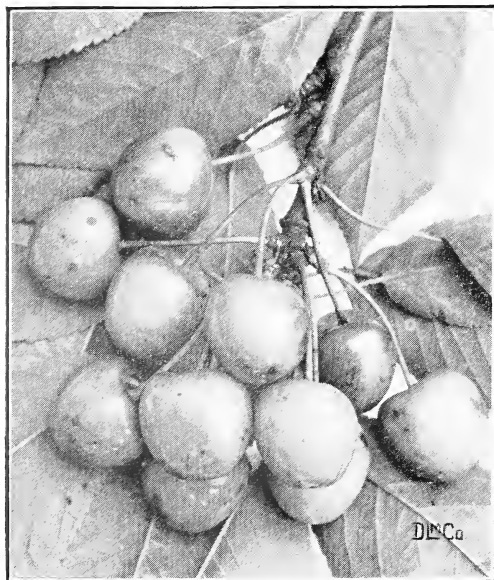
### Prices on All Varieties

	Height		Each	Per 10	Per 100
Largest size, 2-year.....	6 to 7 ft.	XXX	\$1.00	\$9.50	\$80.00
Medium size, 2-year.....	5 to 6 ft.	XX	.90	8.50	75.00
Smaller size, 2-year.....	4 to 5 ft.	X	.85	8.00	70.00
Largest size, 1-year.....	3 ft. and up.	Sturdy buds	.90	8.50	80.00

**BLACK TARTARIAN.** This fine old variety produces immense crops of very large, purplish black fruits of mild, sweet, jelly-like consistency. The tree makes a beautiful, erect growth. Late June and early July.

**BING.** This valuable new black Cherry succeeds everywhere. Tree very thrifty and upright grower, very hardy and productive, flesh very solid, flavor of the highest quality, a fine shipping and market variety. It is one of the most delicious sweet Cherries. This valuable Cherry should be followed by Lambert, which is later in ripening. July.

**GOVERNOR WOOD.** One of the best Cherries; very large, light yellow, marbled with red; juicy, rich, and delicious; tree healthy and a great bearer; hangs well on the trees; vigorous. Last of June.



Napoleon Cherries

**LAMBERT.** A very sweet variety and one of the largest of all Cherries, dark purple red, turning almost jet black when ripe. Flesh firm, rich, juicy, tree rugged, strong grower and an enormous bearer.

**NAPOLEON.** Tree medium size, erect with roundish head, fruit borne generally in twos, very large, oblong cordate, light lemon yellow with red cheeks in the sun. Flesh very hard, brittle, colorless, reddish at the stone. Excellent bearer. Ripe about June 20th.

**SCHMIDT'S BIGGARREAU.** The fruit is of very large size, of a deep mahogany color. The flesh is dark, tender, very juicy with a fine, rich flavor. Fruit grows in clusters. It is an excellent shipper and brings good money on the market. July.

**WINDSOR.** A splendid, large, liver-colored Cherry that hangs a long time and rots but little. The flesh is remarkably firm and good, the tree very hardy and fruitful. Exceedingly valuable for late market and home use. July.

**YELLOW SPANISH.** Large, pale yellow, with red cheeks; firm, juicy and excellent; one of the best light colored Cherries; vigorous and productive. Last of June.

220 West St., Reading, Mass.,

April 16, 1925.

Gentlemen: The Peach trees reached me in fine shape and I thank you.

Very truly yours,

WILLIAM J. MOODY.

10517 93d St., Ozone Park, N. Y.,

April 21, 1925.

Gentlemen: I thank you for the way you packed the trees. I received them in good condition.

Yours truly,

A. YANTOSH.

Harrisburg, Pa.,

April 15, 1925.

Gentlemen: The trees ordered for our Refuge Keeper, have been received by him in excellent condition. We thank you for your attention in this matter.

Very truly yours,

BOARD OF GAME COMMISSIONERS,  
W. G. CONKLIN, Chief.

209 E. High St., Rockville, Ind.,

April 17, 1925.

Gentlemen: I received my order of trees today in good condition, and I thank you.

Very truly yours,

JANE SHAW.

## Sour Cherries

Prices on all Varieties

	Height		Each	Per 10	Per 100
Largest size, 2-year.....	6 to 7 ft.	XXX	\$ .90	\$8.50	\$80.00
Medium size, 2-year.....	5 to 6 ft.	XX	.85	8.00	75.00
Smaller size, 2-year.....	4 to 5 ft.	X	.80	7.50	70.00
Largest size, 1-year.....	3 ft. and up, Sturdy buds		.90	8.50	80.00

**BALDWIN.** Fruit large, dark, transparent; excellent grower; hardy. Ripens in June.

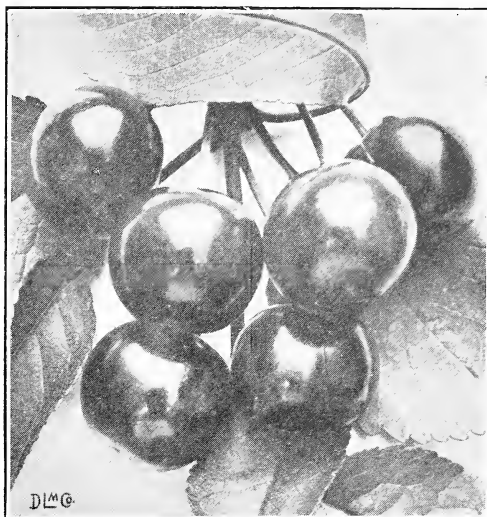
**DYEHOUSE.** A very early and sure bearer, ripens a week before Early Richmond. Excellent quality. Often bears at two years old. Has the smallest pit of any Cherry known. Early June.

**EARLY RICHMOND.** Trees grow rapidly with a spreading head. Hardy everywhere. Fruit of medium size, dark red; melting, juicy, sprightly, acid flavor. The leading sour Cherry of its season, the first of its kind in the markets. Unsurpassed for cooking purposes. The most hardy of all varieties, uninjured by the coldest Winters. Recommended for commercial and home use. June.

**ENGLISH MORELLO.** Medium to large; blackish red, rich, acid, juicy and good; very productive. Ripens late. Best kind to follow Montmorency. Easily grown, generally producing a heavy crop. Tree very hardy for extremely cold latitudes. August.

**LARGE MONTMORENCY.** A large red, acid Cherry, larger than Early Richmond and fully ten days later. The leading commercial variety.

The best of all sour varieties of Cherries. Trees are the best growers and less subject to disease, less affected by wet weather, and are the best bearers of all sour cherries. Good shipper, very attractive looking and always brings good prices. Last of June.



Large Montmorency

**MAY DUKE.** Large red; juicy and rich; an old excellent variety; vigorous, productive. June.

**WRAGG.** Much like the English Morello. One of the hardiest Cherries. August.

### SWEET AND SOUR CHERRY COLLECTION

5 Trees Value \$4.35 for \$3.50

1 Black Tartarian  
1 Napoleon

1 Early Richmond  
1 English Morello

1 Montmorency

All 2 year 5-6 ft. trees

Special Price \$3.50

## Peaches

Peaches thrive on light sandy soils and the hardier varieties withstand the severest climate in our Eastern States. They come quickly into bearing and yield money making crops. Our list of varieties meets the needs of both orchardist and suburban planter.

	Height		Each	Per 10	Per 100
<b>Largest size, 1-year</b> .....	<b>5 to 6 ft.</b>	<b>XXX</b>	<b>\$ .65</b>	<b>\$6.00</b>	<b>\$37.50</b>
<b>Medium size, 1-year</b> .....	<b>4 to 5 ft.</b>	<b>XX</b>	<b>.60</b>	<b>5.50</b>	<b>32.50</b>
<b>Smaller size, 1-year</b> .....	<b>3 to 4 ft.</b>	<b>X</b>	<b>.55</b>	<b>5.00</b>	<b>30.00</b>

**BELLE OF GEORGIA.** Fruit large, white fleshed, firm and delicious, color red and white; freestone. August.

**CAPTAIN EDE.** A handsome yellow Peach, with a faint blush of carmine, resembles Elberta. Fine quality and a splendid shipper. Early September. Freestone.

**CARMAN.** A large, oval shaped Peach of yellowish white color; flesh creamy white, tinged slightly with red; excellent flavor; freestone. Early August.

**CHAIR'S CHOICE.** Form round, of large size; color of skin yellow with red cheek; flesh yellow, of fair quality; freestone; October.

**CHAMPION.** One of the leading white Peaches; fruit large, creamy white, of highest quality. It is a freestone and ripens early. Late August.

**CROSBY.** Semi-clingstone, medium sized, a good bearer, yellow flesh and very good quality. Ripens very late. First of September.

**CRAWFORD, EARLY.** Its quality is unsurpassed. A yellow fleshed Peach, freestone. First of September.

**CRAWFORD, LATE.** A large, handsome Peach, the standard of excellence for quality. Delicious flavor; yellow fleshed; freestone. Tree vigorous and very productive. Good commercial variety. Last of September.

**ELBERTA.** It is extra large; color golden yellow shading to red; flesh yellow, firm, juicy and excellent; freestone. The favorite Peach both for commercial and garden planting. Succeeds wherever Peaches can be grown. Follows Early Crawford. Early September.

**FITZGERALD.** A large, golden-yellow Peach of good quality; hardy in bud and wood; freestone. First of September.

**GREENSBORO.** One of the earliest sorts; greenish white shaded with red; juicy and good; semi-clingstone. Owing to extreme hardiness will succeed where other varieties will not. Late July.

**HALE.** Of recent introduction. Similar to Elberta. Very large in size. Color deep golden yellow overlaid with bright carmine. Flesh deep yellow, fine grained and flavor is delicious. Good keeper and shipper. Freestone. Late August.

**HILL'S CHILI (Freestone).** Medium size; oval; skin yellow, shaded with dark red; flesh half melting, sweet, of medium quality, but hardy and a good bearer. September.

**HILEY (Belle).** Of excellent quality; flesh creamy white; freestone; ripens early and is a good shipper.



Crawford Peaches

Every garden should have an assortment of Peaches. They cost little to buy. They bear quickly and abundantly.

**PEACHES—Continued**

**KALAMAZOO (Freestone).** Grows to medium size, color yellow with red cheek, yellow flesh moderately tender and juicy, flavor fairly sweet. Strong grower, early bearer, hardy and productive. Early September.

**MOUNTAIN ROSE.** A white Peach, very good for home use; freestone; medium sized; good bearer and fine quality. Early August.

**NIAGARA.** The flesh is yellow, tender, rich and juicy, ripening clear to the pit. It is a freestone, and ripens early about one week before Elberta. Tree hardy and bears abundantly. Last of August.

**OLD MIXON (Freestone).** A white fleshed Peach, with a red cheek, presenting a good appearance in the basket. Early September.

**ROCHESTER.** A new, very early, yellow fleshed Peach of the Crawford type. Excellent for commercial and garden planting. Good size, yellow, freestone and one of the best shippers. Tree is a hardy and young producer. The only good yellow freestone Peach ready for market in the middle of August in the northern states.



**Champion Peach**

**King's Special Garden Collection**

**Value \$6.45 for \$5.00**

- 1 Delicious Apple ..... 5-6 ft.
- 1 Elberta Peach ..... 4-5 ft.
- 1 Bartlett Pear ..... 5-6 ft.
- 1 Black Tartarian Cherry..... 5-6 ft.
- 1 Montmorency Cherry ..... 5-6 ft.
- 1 German Prune ..... 5-6 ft.
- 3 Concord Grapes, 2-year, No. 1
- 10 Raspberries, assorted (Red and Black)

**Special Price, \$5.00**

Hudson, N. Y.,  
April 21, 1925.

Gentlemen: I received the Peach trees in good condition. They are a fine lot of trees, were graded fine, with good heads and roots. When again in the market for trees will call upon you.

Yours truly,

EARL T. SMITH.

**SALWAY.** An extra large, very late Peach, of high quality and established merit. One of the best late Peaches for market. Freestone. October.

**SMOCK'S (Beer's Smock).** This is an old standard variety, highly prized and valuable for either home use or market. Fruit large, skin orange yellow, mottled with red. Last of September.

**TRIUMPH (Semi-Cling).** A valuable commercial variety to follow Greensboro. The Peach is yellow with sweet, rich flavor. Early August.

**WONDERFUL (Freestone).** Rich, golden yellow color, nearly covered with bright crimson. Very handsome and attractive. Flesh yellow, rich and highly flavored. Middle of October.

**YELLOW ST. JOHN.** It is large and handsome; flesh yellow and juicy and of delightful flavor. Tree a strong grower and bears heavy crops every season. Reaches the market at a time when the demand for early fruit is at its height.

## Standard Pears

Pear Trees do best on heavy clay soils, but will thrive in most any variety of good ground.

### Prices on all the Varieties

	Height		Each	Per 10	Per 100
Largest size, 2-year.....	6 to 7 ft.	XXX	\$1.00	\$9.50	\$80.00
Medium size, 2-year.....	5 to 6 ft.	XX	.95	9.00	70.00
Smaller size, 2-year.....	4 to 5 ft.	X	.90	8.50	65.00
Largest size, 1-year.....	3 ft. and up, Sturdy buds		.95	9.00	80.00

**ANJOU (Beurre d'Anjou).** A late Fall Pear of the highest quality; large, yellowish green with blushes of pale red and russet. October.

**BARTLETT.** It is a large, crisp Pear, yellow when ripe, juicy and melting and of delicious flavor; ripens about the first of September.

**BEURRE BOSCH.** Greatly esteemed. A large yellow Pear; flesh white, rich and delicious. One of the best of the russet varieties. Highly flavored and well suited for storage and marketing. October to December.

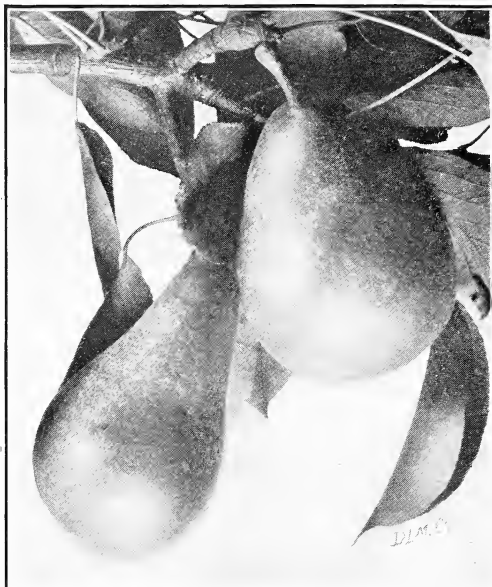
**BEURRE CLAIRGEAU.** A light yellow shaded with crimson. A very attractive Pear. Bears early and fruit keeps a long time after being gathered. Its large size, excellent shipping and keeping qualities make this a profitable variety. November to January.

**CLAPP'S FAVORITE.** Pale lemon color with bright blush; unexcelled for flavor and high quality. Tree is hardy and productive. Planted extensively for commercial purposes; earlier than Bartlett and resembles Flemish Beauty in growth. Early August.

**DUCHESS D'ANGOULEME.** A late Pear, of fair quality; very large, greenish yellow with dull red cheek. Often bears first season after planting. October and November.

**FLEMISH BEAUTY.** The fruit is of large size, greenish yellow and brown; it ripens in September. September to October.

**KIEFFER.** Tree has large, dark green, glossy leaves and is of itself very ornamental. It is



**Clapp's Favorite Pears**

an early and prolific bearer, the best grower we have; extremely hardy; never blights. Oct. **LAWRENCE.** Greenish yellow marked with russet; flesh white and of fine quality. November to December.

**LINCOLN.** The Lincoln is a very large, clear yellow pear, with bright red cheek on the sunny side; juicy, high quality.

**SECKEL.** A small Pear of yellowish russet color with a spicy, honeyed flavor of supreme excellence. The finest Pear for garden planting. Very satisfactory as a dwarf. Tree a good grower and bears heavy crops annually. Owing to its hardiness can be planted in cold climates with assurances of best results. September and October.

**SHELDON.** Of medium size and roundish greenish russet and brown color; flesh somewhat coarse but melting; juicy and of excellent flavor.

**VERMONT BEAUTY.** A most desirable Pear. Fruit medium yellow, with bright carmine cheek. Tree is hardy and thrifty. October and November.

**WILDER.** A Summer Pear, medium sized, small cored, tender and juicy. Early August.

**WINTER NELIS.** A medium-sized yellow pear, often russeted. Flesh is yellow, fine grained, sweet, of very highest quality.



**Seckel Pears**

## Plums

Annual spraying with Bordeaux Mixture keeps away the leaf blight and fungus, and the thinning of too heavy crops of fruit prevents fruit rot of Plums. For home use, the fruit should be allowed to ripen on the tree, but for shipment to distant markets it must be gathered a few days earlier. The Japanese sorts grow and bear fruit about as quickly as Peach Trees. They are enormously productive and perfectly hardy. The fruit of all Japanese varieties is large and of fine quality. The European sorts which we offer are all old favorites. Plums are hardy and grow vigorously in nearly all sections, succeeding on any soil that grows good corn or potatoes.

### Prices on all the Varieties

	Height		Each	Per 10	Per 100
<b>Largest size, 2-year</b> .....	6 to 7 ft.	XXX	\$ .90	\$8.50	\$80.00
<b>Medium size, 2-year</b> .....	5 to 6 ft.	XX	.85	8.00	75.00
<b>Smaller size, 2-year</b> .....	4 to 5 ft.	X	.80	7.50	70.00
<b>Largest size, 1-year</b> .....	3 ft. and up, Sturdy buds		.90	8.50	80.00

## Japanese Sorts

**ABUNDANCE.** Fruit large and beautiful; amber turning to bright cherry red. Flesh yellow, tender, juicy and rich. August.

**BURBANK.** Fruit very large; clear cherry red; flesh deep yellow, sweet, with a very agreeable flavor. The best of the Japan Plums. Succeeds over a wide range of territory and will stand the most severe Winters. August.

**OCTOBER PURPLE (Late).** Fruit frequently measures seven inches in circumference.

**RED JUNE.** Medium to large. Fruit deep vermilion red, makes a fine appearance. Flesh light, lemon yellow, firm, delightful. August.

**WICKSON (Early).** Largest of the Japan Plums. Bright, cherry red covered with a light bloom. Good keeping and shipping qualities. August.

## European Plums

**ARCTIC (Moore's Arctic).** Color dark purple; flesh light yellow, juicy, coarse and fibrous but tender, sweetish, mild, of fair quality. Sept.

**BRADSHAW.** Fruit very large and of the highest quality; dark violet red; flesh yellowish green, juicy and pleasant. Middle of August.

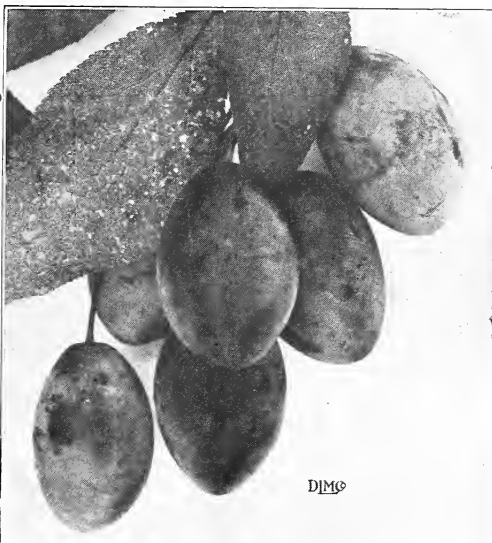
**GERMAN PRUNE.** A large, long, oval variety, much esteemed for drying; color dark purple; of very agreeable flavor. September.

**GREEN GAGE (Reine Claude).** Fruit ripens about midseason; color yellowish green. Should be in every home collection. September.

**GRAND DUKE.** The fruit is of large size, of dark reddish purple overspread with thick bloom. Last of September.

**IMPERIAL GAGE.** Fruit dull greenish yellow in color; flesh golden yellow; juicy, firm, but tender, sweet, mild, of excellent quality. Aug.

**LOMBARD.** One of the best and most extensively planted varieties of the East. Fruit medium, round, oval, violet red, juicy, pleasant and good. August.



German Prune

**MONARCH.** Fruit ripens late, of dark purplish red color, juicy, somewhat fibrous, tender, sweet next to the skin, pleasantly tart toward the center, aromatic. October.

**POND SEEDLING (Hungarian Prune).** Distinguished for its large size, form and color. September.

**SHIPPER'S PRIDE.** A large, blue Plum, very hardy and productive. September.

**SHROPSHIRE DAMSON.** The fruit is of good size; color purplish black. Flesh golden yellow, juicy, firm and tender, agreeably tart at full maturity. October.

**YELLOW EGG.** The largest and the handsomest of the yellow Plums. September.

**YORK STATE PRUNE.** More productive than German Prune and of as good quality. Last of August.



## Quinces

Quince trees grow well on any good soil, but prefer a deep, moist loam. They are highly esteemed for preserves, jellies and canning. The trees are easy to prune, grow low, are highly ornamental and need but little attention.

### Prices of Our Select Varieties of Quince Trees

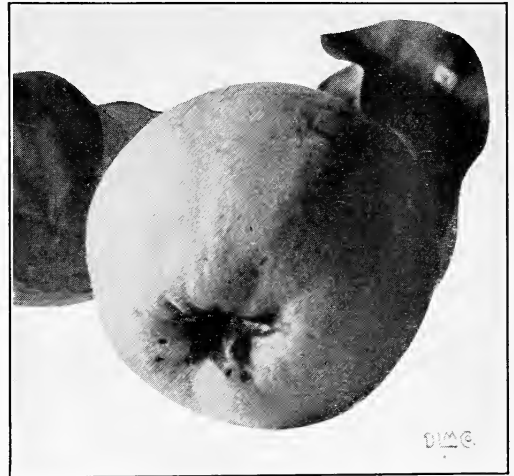
	Height		Each	Per 10	Per 100
<b>Largest size</b> .....	<b>4 to 6 ft.</b>	<b>XXX</b>	<b>\$1.00</b>	<b>\$9.50</b>	<b>\$80.00</b>
<b>Medium size</b> .....	<b>3 to 4 ft.</b>	<b>XX</b>	<b>.95</b>	<b>9.00</b>	<b>75.00</b>

**CHAMPION.** A prolific and abundant bearer; quality fine and a long keeper; bears extremely young. One of the best for sections not subject to early frosts. Last of October.

**ORANGE.** A large, golden yellow fruit of unsurpassed quality. Good for home use and market. Rarely fails to produce a crop. October.

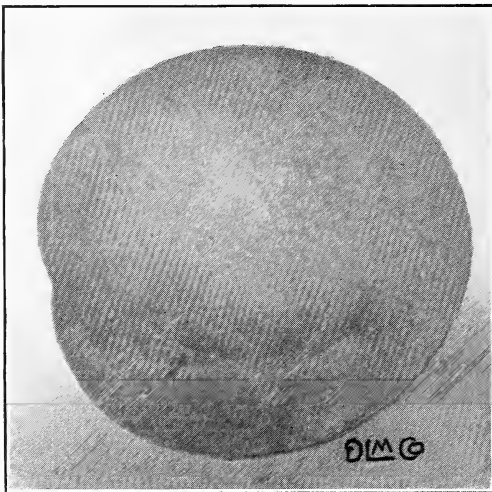
**MEECH.** The fruit is large, lovely orange yellow, of great beauty and delightful fragrance. Ripens between the Orange and Champion. Last of October.

**REA'S MAMMOTH.** A seedling of the Orange Quince; one-third larger, of the same form and color; equally as good and as productive. Tree a hardy grower. October.



Orange Quince

## Apricots



Moorpark Apricot

The Apricot is a delicious fruit. They can be had a month or two earlier than the best early Peaches. The trees should be planted in a northern or western exposure to prevent early blooming.

**4 to 6 ft., XXX, 85c. each; \$8.00 per 10.**

**ALEXANDER.** Medium sized, orange yellow color, of good quality for dessert; ripens medium season. July.

**MOORPARK.** Very large, orange red color, free-stone, of excellent quality. August.

**HARRIS.** Medium sized, orange red, good quality; ripens very early.

**ORANGE.** Medium sized, orange red color, semi-clingstone.

**8% DISCOUNT ON ALL CASH ORDERS  
RECEIVED BEFORE APRIL 1.**



## Dwarf Fruit Trees

The desirable feature of Dwarf Fruit Trees is their size, which makes them very popular for gardens in the city where space is limited. The usual distance for garden and commercial planting is ten feet each way, but Dwarf Apple Trees can be planted in hedgerows, the same as Dwarf Pears and can be set as near together as three or four feet. When planting this way the trees only grow in two directions. They make a very beautiful ornamental and profitable hedgerow.

### Dwarf Apple

#### Prices on Dwarf Apple Trees

	Height		Each	Per 10
2 to 3-year.....	4 to 6 ft.	XXX	\$ .90	\$8.50
2 to 3-year.....	3 to 4 ft.	XX	.85	8.00

Dwarf Apples are very productive, usually commence bearing the second year after planting. They make but little shade and may be trimmed and trained on wire to grow in almost any shape.

We produce these dwarf trees by budding the varieties on Doucin and Paradise stocks imported from Europe. The village and city man with a small garden will enjoy growing a few select trees of the following varieties: **Duchess of Oldenburg, Fameuse, McIntosh, Red Astrachan, Wealthy, Winter Banana, Yellow Transparent.**

### Dwarf Pears

	Height		Each	Per 10	Per 100
2-year ....	4 to 5 ft.	XXX	\$ .80	\$7.50	\$60.00
2-year ....	3 to 4 ft.	XX	.70	6.50	50.00

Dwarf Pears are produced by budding Pear on Quince roots. They make trees of heavy, stocky bodies, but they do not grow tall. The fruit is the same size as that produced on standards, and the trees are inclined to bear younger. We offer the same dwarf varieties as listed under Standard Pears.



Dwarf Pear

#### DWARF APPLE COLLECTION

5 Trees, value \$4.25 for \$3.00

- 1 Duchess
- 1 Red Astrachan
- 1 McIntosh
- 1 Wealthy
- 1 Yellow Transparent

All 2-yr. 3-4 ft.

Special Price \$3.00

#### DWARF PEAR COLLECTION

5 Trees, value \$3.50 for \$2.50

- 1 Bartlett
- 1 Clapp Favorite
- 1 Duchess
- 1 Seckel
- 1 Wilder

All 2-yr. 3-4 ft.

Special Price \$2.50

## Grapes

Grapes come quickly into bearing, yielding fruit oftentimes the second year after planting; require little space, and when properly trained are an ornament to the yard, garden or vineyard. They thrive everywhere, but do best on dry soil in a warm, sunny exposure.

**Prices on All Varieties of Grapes.**

**Two year, No. 1 Vines, 25c. each; \$2.35 per 10; \$20.00 per 100.**

**AGAWAM.** Dark red; large bunch and berry; productive. One of the best of the red varieties; flesh tender and juicy. A good grower and productive.

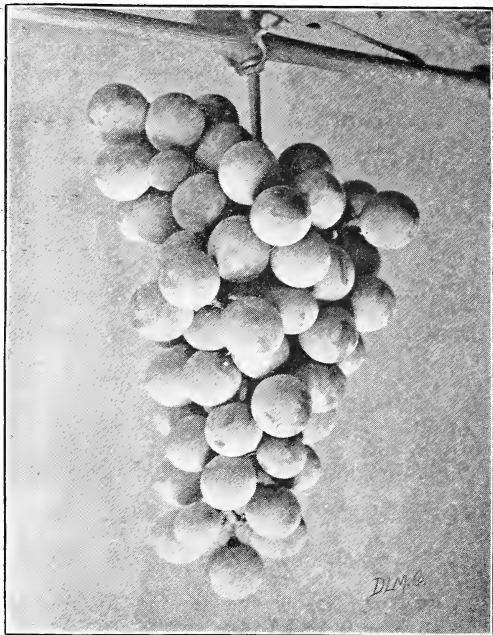
**BRIGHTON.** Bunches large, berries of medium size, dark red; flesh sweet, tender and of the highest quality.

**CAMPBELL'S EARLY.** Vines vigorous and hardy; berries ripen earlier and are of better quality than Concord. Highly recommended everywhere. Its keeping and shipping qualities are equaled by no other Grape. **Flesh rather firm, but tender; quality rich, sweet; a strong grower. Very early.**

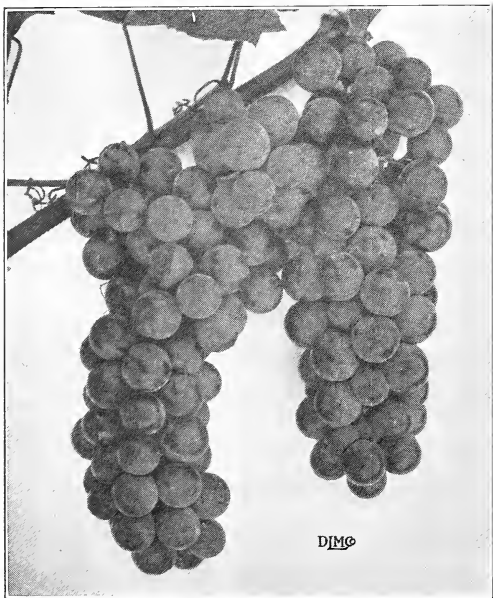
**CATAWBA.** Dark red when matured. Bunch large, berries medium, skin thick, flesh somewhat pulpy; best quality for wine.

**CONCORD.** A popular variety where the choice kinds fail to ripen; universally healthy, vigorous and productive; flesh moderately juicy and sweet. The leading standard variety.

**DELAWARE.** One of the finest Grapes, bunches small, compact, shouldered; berries rather small and round; skin thin, light red; flesh very juicy, without any hard pulp, with an exceedingly sweet, spicy and delicious flavor. Vines moderately vigorous, very hardy and productive.



**Niagara Grapes**



**Delaware Grapes**

**MOORE'S EARLY.** A large, purplish-black berry. Sweet and of good quality. Vine vigorous and hardy.

**NIAGARA.** Vine a remarkably strong grower and hardy; the leaves are thick and leathery and dark glossy green; bunches very large and uniform and very compact. Quality the best, very little pulp. Melting and sweet.

**POCKLINGTON.** Strong grower, never mildews, is a light golden yellow; clear, juicy and sweet to the center. Bunches large, berries round and very large, and thickly set. Ripens in September.

**SALEM.** Handsome red, splendid for table or wine. Ripens in September.

**WORDEN.** A seedling of Concord which it greatly resembles in appearance and flavor, but the berries are larger. Ripens ten days earlier than Concord.

**GRAPE COLLECTION for \$1.05**

2 Concord	1 Catawba
1 Niagara	1 Delaware

**5 Vines for \$1.05 by Parcel Post. Prepaid.**

## Currants

Hardy, easily cultivated, standing neglect well and readily responding to cultivation and generous treatment, indispensable for table use, jellies, etc., **no garden is complete without them**, and large quantities are required for market. A well kept plantation will yield 4,000 pounds of fruit to the acre, and they may be planted to advantage between fruit trees in the orchard and a large yield secured at small cost. **Set four feet apart in rich ground, mulch heavily, prune out all old wood.**

### Prices on all varieties of Currants

**Strong, healthy, two year vines: each 25c.;**  
**\$2.25 per 10; \$18.00 per 100.**

**CHERRY.** Berries sometimes more than half an inch in diameter, bunches short, vigorous and productive when grown on good soils and well cultivated.

**FAY'S PROLIFIC.** The leading market variety. Extra large stems and berries, uniform in size, easily picked, exceedingly productive. No variety ever made as quick a jump into popular favor, the demand most seasons being in excess of the supply.

**PERFECTION.** New, red, A cross between Fay's Prolific and White Grape, but superior to either in size of bunch and berry, quality and productiveness. **Price of Perfection, 35c. each; \$3.00 per 10; \$25.00 per 100.**

**RED DUTCH.** An old, well known sort, good quality berry; medium, long bunch. Very productive.

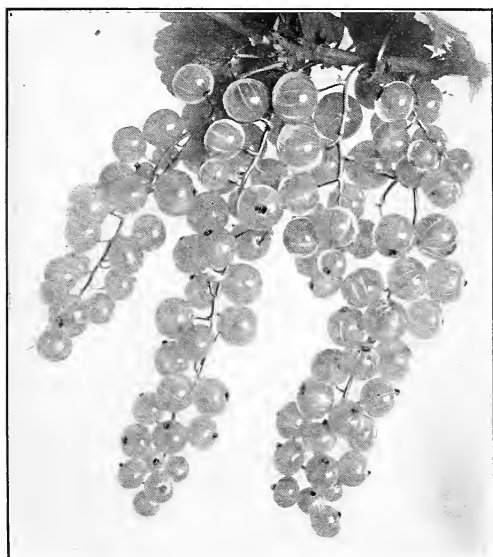
**RED CROSS.** A fine red Currant of large size, long clusters and mild flavor. Vigorous and very productive.



Perfection Currants

**WHITE GRAPE.** Large, mild, of excellent quality and productive. Best of the white varieties for home use and market.

**WILDER.** One of the largest red Currants known and of good quality; mild sub-acid. The bush is a strong, vigorous grower and holds its foliage so well and fresh that its fruit, though ripening early, is kept perfect until late. Very prolific. One of the best.



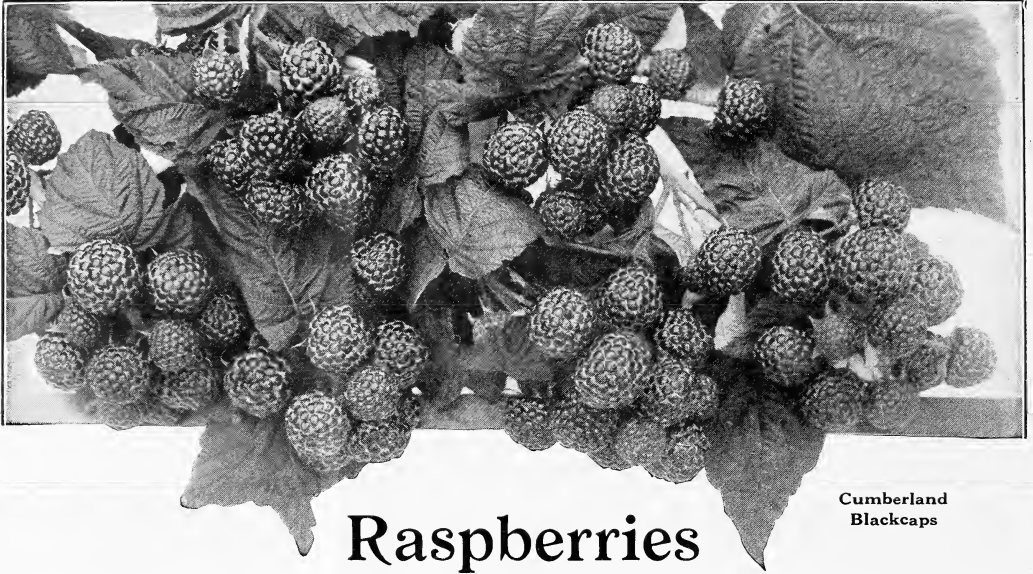
Red Cross Currants

### States Into Which Currants Can Be Shipped

Connecticut  
 Indiana  
 Michigan

New York  
 Ohio  
 Pennsylvania

New Jersey



**Cumberland  
Blackcaps**

## Raspberries

Thorough preparation of the soil before planting is just as important with the Raspberry as with other fruits. Planting in rows and then restricting the plants to hills is the usual method. The rows should be from four to six feet apart and the plants four to five feet apart in the rows. Clean cultivation is important because if the plants become choked with grass or weeds, it will check their growth and not only the fruiting canes will suffer for moisture, but those intended for the next season's crop.

It is not advisable to plant too deeply and at the same time of planting, cut the canes down close to the surface of the soil, as the entire forces of the plants are required the first season to produce canes if anything like a crop of fruit is expected the next.

Very little pruning is necessary with the Raspberry except to go over the plantation after fruiting and cut close to the ground all of the old and weak canes. Some growers believe, however, that the bearing canes should be pruned in the Spring, heading back the leading shoots and shortening the lateral ones. They claim that when pruned in this manner, the fruit will be larger and the plant will yield as many quarts as though the canes were left their full length.

### Prices on all Varieties of Black Raspberries.

**Strong, healthy plants, 80c. per 10; \$1.75 per 25; \$4.50 per 100; \$32.50 per 1000.**

### Black Raspberries

**CUMBERLAND.** New. The largest black Raspberry known, averaging 7-8 inch in diameter. Good and firm as the Gregg, but bush is hardier, having successfully withstood 16 degrees below zero. A strong, vigorous grower and wonderfully productive. Midseason.

**GREGG.** Very large and late Blackcap. Bush a strong, upright grower, productive and very desirable for market and home use.

**KANSAS.** New. Originated in Kansas where it is prized as the best Blackcap. Ripens early and is as large or larger than the Gregg. Jet black, firm, handsome and of best quality. Very vigorous and productive. Very popular East and West.

**PLUM FARMER.** It ripens very early and quickly. The fruit is of large size, often measuring an inch in diameter. It sells at the highest price. A great favorite for market or home use.

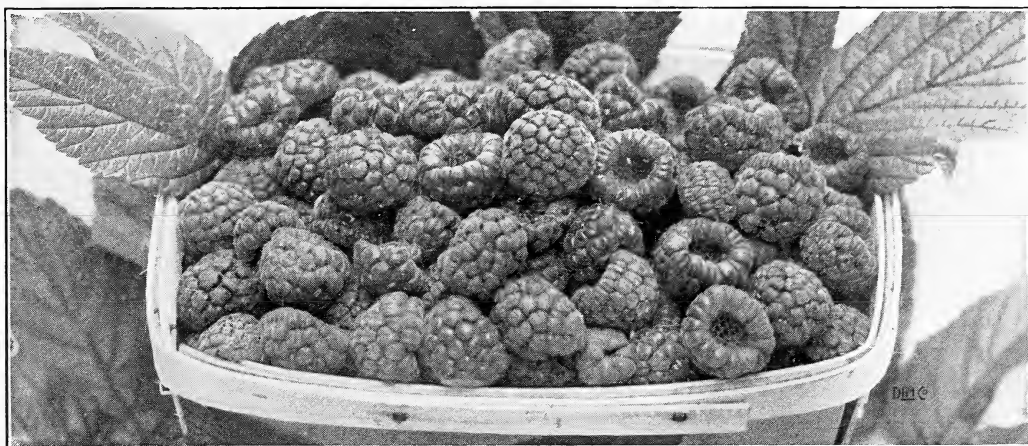
### Purple Raspberries

**Strong, healthy plants, \$1.00 per 10; \$2.00 per 25; \$5.00 per 100; \$37.50 per 1000.**

**COLUMBIAN.** Dark red or purple, similar to Shaffer's Colossal, but a much better grower and bearer, larger and firmer. The most prolific Raspberry known and best for canning and drying. Although red, it propagates from the tip only and never suckers. Late.

**SHAFFER'S COLOSSAL PURPLE.** A very large Raspberry, both in cane and fruit. Canes are of wonderful vigor and size, hardy and enormously productive; berries are very large and of purplish color.

## Red Raspberries



**Herbert Red Raspberries. Big Money Makers.**

### Price of all Varieties of Red Raspberries (except Herbert)

**Strong, healthy plants, 80c. per 10; \$1.75 per 25; \$4.50 per 100; \$32.50 per 1000.**

**CUTHBERT.** The most extensively planted red Raspberry. Fruit bright red, good and very large, bush very vigorous, hardy and prolific. Medium to late. Land should not be too rich.

**HERBERT.** Very hardy, canes strong and vigorous; bright red, the largest of all red Raspberries; sweet, juicy. Fine for table use. Enormously productive.

**Price: \$1.00 per 10; \$2.00 per 25; \$5.00 per 100; \$37.50 per 1000.**

**KING.** Pronounced the best early red Raspberry by many of the leading horticulturists. Plant a strong grower, very hardy and productive. Berry is firm, a good shipper; large size; beautiful bright scarlet color; ripens with the earliest.

**JUNE.** This is the new early red Raspberry lately originated by the New York State Agricultural

Experiment Station. It is a cross between the old Loudon and Marlboro. It has been grown long enough to show its general adaptability and remarkable characteristics. There is no other early red Raspberry that can equal or approach it in its large and beautiful colored berries.

**LOUDON.** One of the first to ripen. Very hardy, yields abundantly. Does best on strong clay loam, but succeeds well on sand.

**ST. REGIS EVERBEARING.** A new variety, very large, juicy and of the highest quality. The canes are strong, vigorous and hardy. The main crop is very early. The old canes continue to produce till late August when the new season's growth begins to ripen some fruit. Be sure to plant some of this variety. The only Raspberry that produces a crop of fruit the season planted.

## Garden Roots

### Asparagus

**Price: 90c. per 25; \$2.25 per 100.**

**PALMETTO.** Early and very productive.

**CONOVER'S COLOSSAL.** Of superior excellence; remarkably tender and fine flavored.

### Rhubarb

**Price: 12c. each; \$1.00 per 10; \$9.00 per 100.**

**EARLY SCARLET.** Early and good.

**MYATT'S LINNAEUS.** Large, early, tender, excellent.

## Blackberries

Prices on our select assortment of leading varieties: \$1.00 per 10; \$2.00 per 25; \$6.00 per 100; \$45.00 per 1000.

**BLOWERS.** Originated in the Chautauqua "Grape Belt," and is no doubt the most productive Blackberry known. 2,694 berries have been grown on one bush, and 2,720 quarts on one-third acre. Of good size and quality. Jet black and a good shipper. Hardy. Begins to ripen about middle of July and bears about two months.

**ELDORADO.** A good grower, healthy, very hardy and exceedingly productive. Berries are large, jet black and of best quality. Very reliable.

**ERIE.** One of the earliest, very large, round and of excellent quality. Bush is vigorous, hardy and productive.

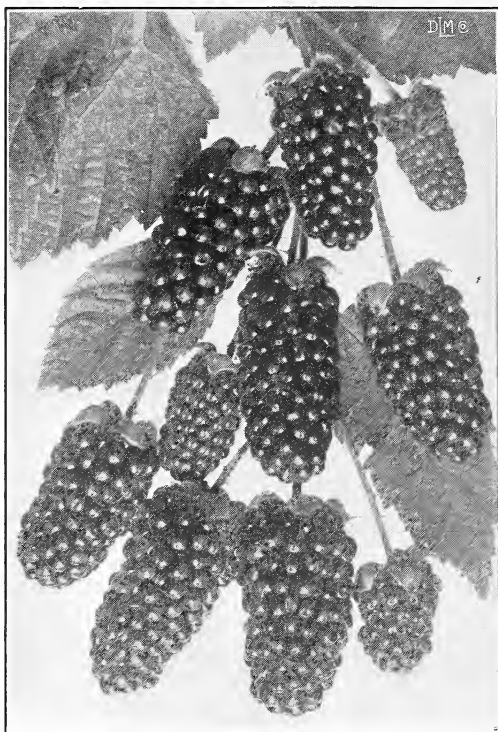
**MERSEREAU.** A very hardy, strong, upright grower and great bearer of brilliant black berries that retain their color. Sweet, rich and melting, without core.

**RATHBUN.** Large, early and productive. Does not sucker freely, but roots from the tip of its cane like the black Raspberry. Very hardy, sweet and free from core.

**SNYDER.** Extremely hardy, enormously productive, medium size, no hard, sour core; sweet and juicy. Ripens early.

### DEWBERRY

**LUCRETIA.** A running or trailing Blackberry. May be left to sprawl on the ground or else tied up on stakes or trellises like Grape vines. Propagates from tips like black Raspberries and never suckers.



Eldorado Blackberry

## Gooseberries

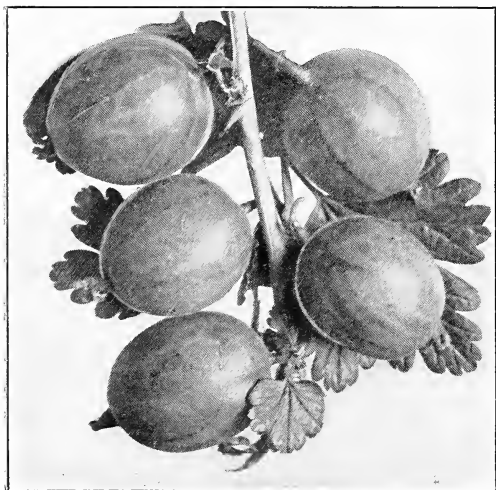
Prices on select two year old plants, 40c. each; \$3.00 per 10; \$25.00 per 100.

**CHAUTAUQUA.** A very vigorous, stout, stiff upright grower and exceedingly productive. Leaves are large, glossy and dark green; its fruit is a beautiful light yellow, perfectly free from spines and down, veined and translucent.

**DOWNING.** The largest of the American varieties. Whitish green, and of good quality. Bush is a strong, stout, upright grower and quite prolific and healthy.

**HOUGHTON.** Pale red, medium sized berries of good quality. Vigorous but slender grower. Healthy and very productive.

**JOSSELYN (Red Jacket).** A vigorous, upright growing bush, healthy and productive. Fruit is light red and of about the size of the Downing.



Chautauqua Gooseberry

### States Into Which Gooseberries Can Be Shipped

Connecticut  
Indiana  
Michigan

New York  
Ohio  
Pennsylvania

New Jersey



## Nut Trees



The varieties of nut trees which we offer can be successfully grown in sections of the country where the temperature reaches an occasional 10 or 20 degrees below zero and can be depended on to produce liberal crops of nuts.

**AMERICAN SWEET CHESTNUT.** Valuable as a nut producing tree and for timber.

4 to 5 ft., \$1.25 each; \$12.00 per 10.

**SPANISH CHESTNUT.** A handsome round headed tree, producing abundantly, very large nuts, that sell readily at a high price.

Price of 4 to 5 ft. trees, \$1.25 each.

**BUTTERNUT.** A rapid growing native tree, producing a large, longish nut which is prized for its sweet, oily nutritious kernel.

5 to 6 ft., \$1.25 each; \$12.00 per 10.

**ENGLISH WALNUT.** One of the largest, most delicious nuts. Can be grown in any climate where Peaches are grown. Tree is tall growing with spreading head. Produces large crops of thin shelled nuts.

3 to 4 ft. \$1.50 each. 2 to 3 ft., \$1.00 each.

**JAPAN WALNUT.** Perfectly hardy, rapid grower, handsome form, large leaves, bears young and abundantly.

Price of 4 to 5 ft. trees, \$1.25 each.

**WALNUT, BLACK.** The common, well known Black Walnut, the wood of which is most beautiful and valuable. It is very productive in nuts which are liked by many.

5 to 6 ft. \$1.25 each; \$12.00 per 10.

## EXPRESSIONS OF APPRECIATION

Rockville Centre, N. Y.,  
April 28, 1925.

Gentlemen: I wish to let you know that I was very much pleased with the trees you sent me. I have bought a good many trees and yours were the best I ever bought.

Yours truly,

G. V. BROWER.

Boscawen, N. H.,  
March 14, 1925.

Gentlemen: Enclosed find order for fifty trees. I wish to state that the trees sent me in former years from your firm have been the most satisfactory of any trees purchased and would recommend your firm to any prospective buyer.

Yours truly,

H. O. CASSIDY.

1653 N. Felton St., Philadelphia, Pa.,  
April 20, 1925.

Gentlemen: My trees arrived in good condition. Yours truly,

ROBERT B. RAMSDEN.

Willow Grove, Pa.,  
April 21, 1925.

Gentlemen: The trees arrived at our home last Thursday the 16th in good condition.

Yours truly,

E. A. RHUMSYRE.

Beacon, N. Y.,  
May 7, 1925.

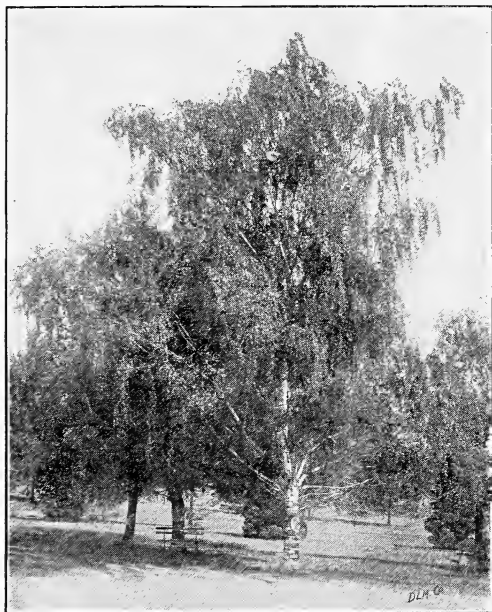
Gentlemen: Everything O. K. received May 6th. Thanks for prompt shipment.

Very truly yours,

M. McCAFFERY.

## Ornamental Trees

A home is made beautiful and attractive by setting out shade trees and ornamental stock. There is no other way possible of increasing the value of a home at such little cost as the planting of ornamentals. People everywhere are attracted to a home surrounded by shade and flowers. The character of the owner is reflected in a well-kept yard, lawn or grounds. Improving the home not only gives pleasure and happiness, but enriches the owner and enriches our country.



**Cutleaf Weeping Birch**

### AMERICAN ELM

This well known tree ranks among the very best for avenue or park, especially in deep or wet soil. It grows rapidly and makes tough branches, rarely being damaged by wind or snow. Its spreading head, drooping branches and stately growth give it the name of the "Monarch of the Forest."

**Price: 6 to 8 ft., \$1.25 each; \$11.50 per 10. 8 to 10 ft., \$1.45 each; \$13.50 per 10. 10 to 12 ft., \$2.25 each.**

### BIRCH, CUTLEAF WEEPING

This fine tree excels all others in its tall form and graceful beauty, its upright center trunk covered with white bark, its drooping branches and pendent leaves increasing its attractiveness. It is hardy and thrifty in all locations.

**Price: 3 to 4 ft. \$2.50 each. 4 to 5 ft., \$3.25 each.**

### BECHTEL'S DOUBLE FLOWERING CRAB

A medium sized, hardy ornamental tree of great beauty. When in bloom this tree presents the appearance of being covered with roses. Flowers large, fragrant and beautiful.

**Price: 3 to 4 ft., \$1.25 each.**

### CAMPERDOWN ELM

This old favorite is the largest of the "umbrella-topped" trees; foliage large, growth spreading and pendent. It produces dense shade and is the best arbor tree for lawns.

**Price: 2 year heads, \$2.25 each.**

### CATALPA BUNGEI

A small species that grows 8 to 10 feet high and twice as broad, forming a great bush, clothed with a dense mass of large, heart-shaped leaves. Among our hardy shrubs are but few, if any, that are more effective as foliage plants for park or lawn. When grafted on a stalk of one of the tree species 5 or 6 feet high, makes a handsome standard tree, with a very dense and symmetrical globular head, without trimming.

**Price: 5 to 6 ft., \$2.00 each.**

### CATALPA, SPECIOSA

This medium to large tree, with its tropical-like foliage and its pyramids of white flowers, is worthy a place in every collection.

**Price: 6 to 8 ft., 95c. each; \$8.50 per 10. 8 to 10 ft., \$1.10 each; \$10.00 per 10.**

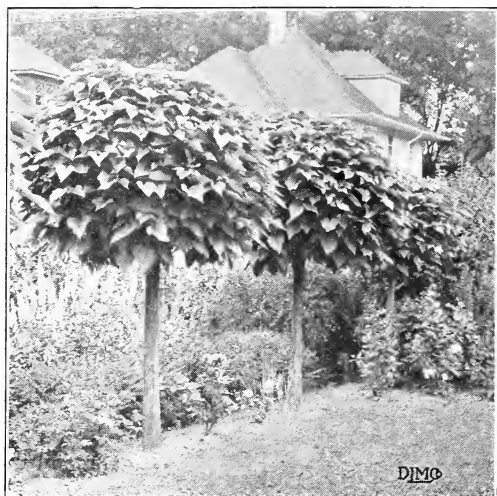
**Letters asking for advice about planting nursery stock receive our painstaking attention.**



**American Elm**



**ORNAMENTAL TREES—Continued**



**Catalpa Bungei**

**HORSE CHESTNUT**

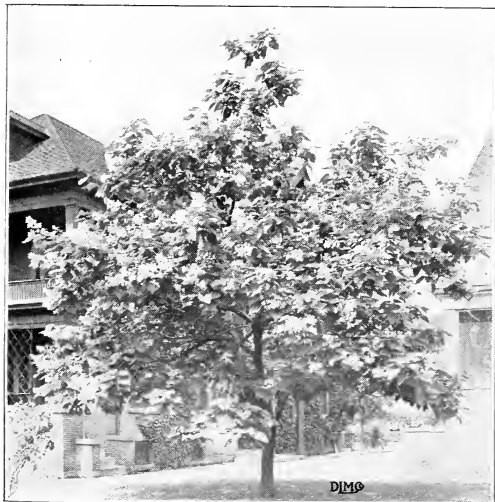
A very beautiful, well-known tree, forming a round, compact head, with dark green foliage, and an abundance of showy flowers early in spring. Very desirable on account of its hardy, healthy habit. When fully grown, 40 to 50 feet high.

**Price:** 4 to 5 ft., \$2.75 each. 5 to 6 ft., \$3.25 each.

**LABURNUM, OR GOLDEN CHAIN**

A native of Europe, with smooth shining foliage, attaining the height of 20 feet. The name of the Golden Chain alludes to the length of the drooping racemes of yellow flowers which, as Cooper elegantly described them, are "rich in streaming gold." They appear in June.

**Price:** 4 to 5 ft., \$1.35 each.



**Catalpa speciosa**

**LINDEN**

The American and European Lindens are our best large-leaved shade trees. Specially adapted to lawn planting. Foliage is dense, and when in bloom their fragrance is delightful.

The Lindens are all beautiful, and merit more notice than they receive. Splendid for street planting.

**Price:** American or European, 6 to 8 ft., \$1.75 each. 8 to 10 ft., \$2.25 each.

**MAPLE, ASH-LEAVED, OR BOX ELDER**

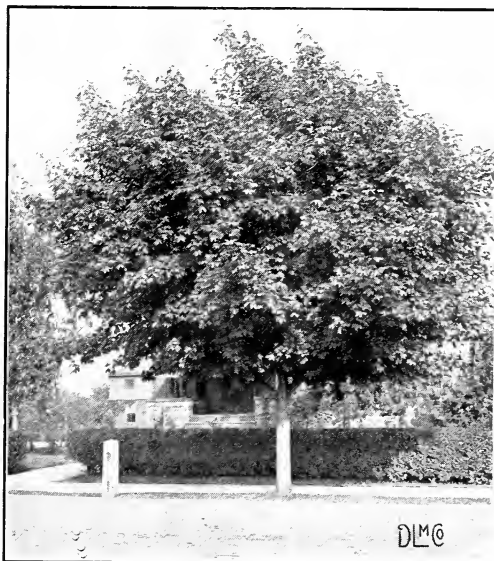
Of rapid growth and spreading form; foliage small and of light green color. Transplants easily and does well in dry soil.

**Price:** 8 to 10 ft., \$1.25 each; \$10.00 per 10.

**MAPLE, NORWAY**

The dense, dark foliage of this lovely tree and its compact, strong habit of growth, its freedom from attacks of insects, combine to make this the very best street, avenue or lawn tree for all situations. It rivals the oak, and the oldest trees known are still young in appearance.

**Price:** 6 to 8 ft., \$2.50 each; \$22.50 per 10. 8 to 10 ft., \$3.25 each; \$30.00 per 10. 10 to 12 ft., \$3.50 each.



**Norway Maple**

**MAPLE, ROCK OR SUGAR**

Upright and dense in growth, leaves turn a beautiful yellow or scarlet in autumn.

**Price:** 6 to 8 ft., \$2.50 each; \$22.50 per 10. 8 to 10 ft., \$3.00 each; \$27.50 per 10.

Remember that our prices include prepayment of transportation charges on orders of \$7.50 or more. (See page 2.)

# **KING BROS. NURSERIES** DANVILLE, N.Y.

## ORNAMENTAL TREES—Continued

### MAPLE, SILVER-LEAVED OR WHITE

A hardy, rapid-growing native variety of the largest size; foliage bright green above and silvery underneath.

Price: 6 to 8 ft., \$1.00 each; \$9.00 per 10.  
8 to 10 ft., \$1.50 each; \$13.00 per 10. 10 to 12 ft., \$2.00 each.

### MAPLE, WIER'S CUT-LEAVED SILVER

This is one of the most remarkable and beautiful trees with cut foliage. Its growth is rapid, shoots slender and drooping, giving it a habit almost as graceful as the Cutleaved Birch.

Price: 6 to 8 ft., \$1.50 each; \$13.00 per 10.

### MULBERRY, DOWNING

Yields large black berries for about three months. Good for lawn planting.

Price: 5 to 6 ft., \$1.25 each; \$11.00 per 10.

### MULBERRIES, RUSSIAN

Trees very hardy, stood forty degrees below zero and bore a full crop of berries the next season. They are an annual and abundant bearer.

Price: 5 to 6 ft., 85c. each; 6 to 8 ft., \$1.20 each.

### MULBERRY, TEA'S WEEPING

This weeping tree is without doubt the best for general planting of all small lawn or cemetery trees. Its willowy, pendent branches are covered with large, light green, deeply-lobed foliage. The tree is hardy and thrives in a variety of soils.

Price: 2 year heads, \$2.75 each.

### ORIENTAL PLANE

A beautiful majestic tree with its large head of bright green heart-shaped foliage. Splendid for moist soils.

Price: 6 to 8 ft., \$2.00 each. 8 to 10 ft., \$2.25 each.



Weeping Mulberry



Carolina Poplar

### CAROLINA POPLAR

This rapid growing tree, with its large glossy leaves, open head and symmetrical habit of growth, is the best of all poplars for shade and street planting. Valuable as a windbreak for orchard or garden plot.

Price: 6 to 8 ft., 50c. each; \$4.00 per 10; \$30.00 per 100. 8 to 10 ft. 70c. each; \$6.50 per 10; \$40.00 per 100. 10 to 12 ft., 80c. each; \$7.50 per 10; \$50.00 per 100.

### LOMBARDY POPLAR

This is an old favorite. Well known and remarkable for its erect, rapid growth, and tall spiral form. Indispensable in landscape gardening to break the ordinary and monotonous outline of most other trees.

Price: 6 to 8 ft., 75c. each; \$7.00 per 10; \$45.00 per 100. 8 to 10 ft., 85c. each; \$7.50 per 10; \$60.00 per 100.

### THORN, PAUL'S DOUBLE SCARLET

Flowers deep crimson with scarlet shade, very double. Fine for small grounds. Will thrive in any soil.

Price: 4 to 6 ft., \$2.00 each.

### THORN, DOUBLE WHITE

Small white flowers. A highly ornamental variety on account of both foliage and flowers. Makes a striking contrast when planted with double scarlet. Strong trees.

Price: 4 to 6 ft., \$2.00 each.

### WILLOW, BABYLONICA

Our common well known weeping variety; forms a large round-headed, graceful tree. Particularly attractive near water.

Price: 6 to 8 ft., \$1.25 each; \$11.00 per 10.

## Evergreens

Evergreen trees are stately and majestic as individuals, and strikingly effective and imposing in masses. They are invaluable as screens against objectionable objects, windbreaks and hedges. Planted in informal masses, forming a background against which showy flowers of Spring blooming shrubs may be contrasted, or the bright Winter colors of the twigs and bark of small trees and shrubs, evergreens make possible some of the most enchanting results in ornamental planting. Our evergreens have been frequently transplanted and are shipped with compact balls of roots, wrapped in burlap. This method of handling insures the planter against loss.

When planting dig a hole larger and deeper than ball of earth. Provide good loamy top soil to fill around ball. Set tree in hole a trifle lower than it stood in the nursery. Fill good top soil up around ball. Pack firmly with feet or settle by filling hole with water. Loosen burlap at top of ball and roll back or cut off. Fill hole with soil. Pack firmly and leave top of ground covered with loose earth, or better, mulch with straw. Take care never to leave the roots exposed a single moment.

### BALSAM FIR

Very erect and regular, pyramidal in shape; foliage dark green and lustrous above, pale on under side. Grows rapidly and is hardy.

**Price: 2 to 3 ft., \$3.25 each.**

### SIBERIAN ARBORVITAE

Exceedingly hardy, keeping color well in Winter; growth compact and pyramidal; makes an elegant lawn tree of great value for ornaments, screens and hedges.

**Price: 18 to 24 in., \$3.25 each.**

### AMERICAN ARBORVITAE

A tree of variable height and pyramidal outline, especially beautiful when young. Grows naturally from Nova Scotia and Manitoba to North Carolina and Illinois. Foliage bright green, yellow green beneath, or in Winter assuming tones of brown and bronze.

Considered the finest Evergreen for screens, being hardy and more easily transplanted. Will adapt itself to all locations, but does especially well in moist soil.

**Price: 2 to 3 ft., \$2.75 each; \$25.00 per 10.  
1½ to 2 ft., \$2.50 each; \$23.00 per 10.**

### COLORADO BLUE SPRUCE

Unquestionably the most beautiful of the spruces for garden or lawn. Foliage silvery-blue densely disposed on the numerous branchlets.

**Price: 1½ to 2 ft., \$5.00 each. 2 to 3 ft., \$6.50 each.**

### NORWAY SPRUCE

A tall and picturesque tree, and the most widely cultivated of all the spruces. Extensively planted as an ornamental tree and for shelters and windbreaks on account of its rapid growth.

**Price: 1½ to 2 ft., \$1.50 each; \$12.00 per 10. 2 to 3 ft., \$1.75 each; \$16.50 per 10.**

### IRISH JUNIPER

A slender columnar form with numerous upright branches very closely appressed.

**Price: 1½ to 2 ft., \$3.00 each. 2 to 3 ft., \$3.50 each.**



Hedge of Arborvitae

### HEMLOCK SPRUCE

A most graceful and beautiful variety. Branches droop and the dark bluish foliage is very delicate. It makes a fine lawn tree or ornamental hedge.

**Price: 1½ to 2 ft., \$2.25 each. 2 to 3 ft., \$3.00 each.**

### SCOTCH PINE

A large tree with horizontal, sometimes pendulous branches of pyramidal outline, or in age with a broad rounded top. Foliage is a bluish green. Very rapid grower.

**Price: 1½ to 2 ft., \$2.50 each. 2 to 3 ft., \$3.00 each.**

### RHODODENDRONS

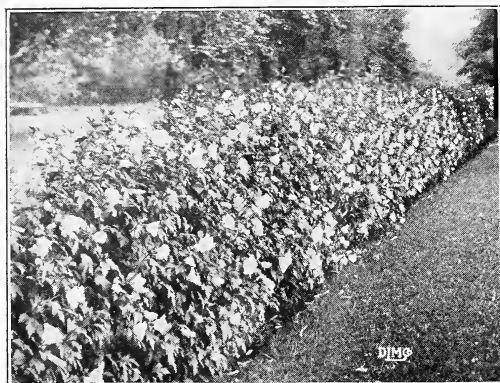
We have them in a variety of colors, white, red and purple being the most attractive; strong bushy plants, well set with flower buds.

**Price: 18 to 24 in., \$4.25 each.**

## Ornamental Shrubs

We offer a fine assortment of shrubs at a minimum cost. These beautiful plants will give distinctive character to your home, and delight and pleasure the whole year around.

It is easiest to prune shrubs before they are planted. Cut off damaged or frayed roots just above the point affected. Thin out tops of many-branched shrubs, removing the old wood. Cut tops back from one-third to one-half.



Althaeas make a beautiful hedge

### ALTHAEA (Rose of Sharon)

Althaeas are free growers and not particular as to soil. Large bell-shaped flowers of striking colors in August and September when but few other sorts are in blossom. They grow from six to ten feet high—red, purple and white.

**Price: 60c. each; \$5.00 per 10.**

### BUTTERFLYBUSH

This shrub set in the Fall or Spring will mature to full size the first year. It produces long, graceful stems, which terminate in tapering panicles of beautiful lilac-covered flowers that are of miniature size and borne by the hundreds on a flower head which is frequently ten inches long. Blossoms from early Summer till frost.

**Price: 50c. each; \$4.75 per 10.**

### CALYCANTHUS (Sweetshrub)

The wood is fragrant, foliage rich; flowers are of chocolate color, having a peculiarly agreeable odor.

**Price: 75c. each; \$6.50 per 10.**

### DEUTZIA CANDIDA

A valuable variety. It is of vigorous habit, an erect grower. Flowers pure white, produced in great profusion during June, and the plants continue to bloom through the Summer. Height 4 to 6 feet.

### DEUTZIA CRENATA

This is a variety that has very full double flowers which are white tinged with rose. The flowers are produced in great profusion in racemes from 4 to 5 inches long. Height 6 to 8 feet.

### DEUTZIA GRACILIS

Pure white flowers in June. Two feet high when full grown.

### DEUTZIA PRIDE OF ROCHESTER

Large, double white flowers, the back of petals being tinged with rose; habit vigorous, and a profuse bloomer. Height 4 to 6 feet.

**Price of all varieties of Deutzia: 75c. each; \$6.50 per 10.**

### FORSYTHIA. (Golden Bell).

Few if any of the Spring flowering hardy shrubs can surpass the splendor and brilliancy of the Forsythias. Both grace and beauty are combined in all their attributes and give them rank for any station in the shrub plantations. They thrive in almost any fertile soil.

**Price: 60c. each; \$5.00 per 10.**

### HYDRANGEA PANICULATA GRANDIFLORA

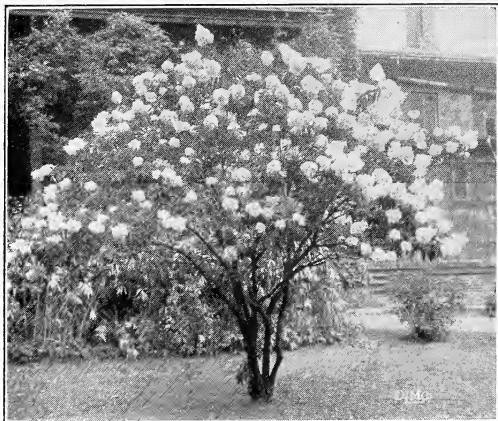
This is undoubtedly the best and most effective shrub for all locations, and the tree form of this well known, late blooming shrub, as it attains age, becomes conspicuous and beautiful beyond description.

**Price: Standard or tree form, 3 ft., \$1.00 each. Bush form, 2 ft., 60c. each; \$5.50 per 10.**

### HYDRANGEA ARBORESCENS STERILIS (Hills of Snow)

An upright shrub usually four to eight feet tall, with bright green leaves. Flowers ray-like and sterile, resembling a snowball. A handsome, floriferous, hardy shrub, literally loaded with dazzling white flowers and continuing to blossom for a large part of the Summer and until late Fall.

**Price: 18 to 24 in., 70c. each; \$6.50 per 10.**



Hydrangea paniculata grandiflora

# **KING BROS. NURSERIES** **DANVILLE, N.Y.**



**Philadelphus coronarius**

## **JAPAN SNOWBALL**

Handsome plicated leaves; globular heads of pure white neutral flowers, early in June. It surpasses the common variety in several respects. Its habit is better, foliage much handsomer, flowers whiter and more delicate. One of the most valuable flowering shrubs. These can also be supplied in tree form and are very effective.

**Price:** Bush Form, 2 to 3 ft., 75c. each; \$7.00 per 10. Tree Form, 3 to 4 ft., \$1.00 each; \$9.50 per 10.

## **SNOWBALL, COMMON**

A well known favorite shrub producing its snowy-white sterile flowers in large balls in June.

**Price:** 2 to 3 ft., 65c. each; \$6.00 per 10. 3 to 4 ft., 75c. each; \$7.00 per 10.

### **King's Special Shrub Collection for the Suburban Home**

4 Shrubs Worth \$2.35 for \$2.00

- 1 *Deutzia crenata*.
- 1 *Spiraea Vanhouttei*
- 1 *Hydrangea P. G.*
- 1 *Philadelphus coronarius*.

**Special Price, \$2.00.**  
**By Parcel Post, Prepaid.**

## **JAPAN QUINCE**

Spiny shrubs, with bright green glossy leaves, a native of China and Japan. Flowers scarlet, large and showy. Fruit is about two inches in diameter, yellowish green, aromatic and fragrant.

**Price:** 75c. each; \$6.00 per 10.

## **LILAC**

These old-time favorites have again sprung into wonderful popularity, and justly so, as wonderful improvements have been made in both form and coloring, and they are now one of our most attractive classes of large growing shrubs.

In ordering, state color desired.

**Price:** Tree form, 3 to 4 ft., \$1.25 each. Bush form, 2 to 3 ft. 90c. each; \$8.50 per 10.

## **PHILADELPHUS CORONARIUS (Mockorange or Garland Syringa)**

One of the best known and most popular of all shrubs, having a profusion of large, creamy white, deliciously fragrant flowers that are among the earliest to bloom. Large size, perfectly hardy, and will succeed in all soils, even under trees. When in flower the bush is a solid mass of white and is one of the most satisfactory shrubs. Plant them in groups about the house and on the lawn; fine for high hedging or as a screen to shut out unsightly views.

**Price:** 50c. each; \$4.50 per 10.

## **PHILADELPHUS GORDONIANUS (Gordon Syringa).**

A handsome shrub having a profusion of white flowers. Blooms late — in July — nearly two months later than *P. coronarius*; therefore both should be planted.

**Price:** 50c. each; \$4.50 per 10.



**Lilac**





*Spiraea Vanhouttei*

### ORNAMENTAL SHRUBS—Continued

#### SPIRAEAS

##### **Anthony Waterer**

A new dwarf shrub of great beauty. Its broad flat heads of red flowers continue in perfection many months. *Bumalda* (pink) and *Callosa alba*, (white), have the same form and the three make a beautiful combination.

**Price: 18 to 24 in., 60c. each; \$5.50 per 10.**

##### **Vanhouttei**

The best white *Spiraea*. The annual growth is long and abundant and covered in June with a wealth of pure white blossoms in a perfect cascade of bloom. Perfectly hardy. Should be in every collection.

**Price: 2 to 3 ft., 50c. each; \$4.50 per 10.**

#### WEIGELA

These are among the finest Japanese flowering shrubs, forming large symmetrical bushes with a drooping tendency, covered in June and July with large trumpet-shaped flowers of varying colors, while some have variegated foliage.

**Price: 2 to 3 ft., 75c. each; \$6.50 per 10.**

**Candida.** Flowers purest white.

**Eva Rathke.** Flowers deep bright red, borne freely during the Summer.

**floribunda.** Flowers dark crimson with white stamens; blooms early and continues during the Summer.

**rosea.** Flowers are large and of deep rose color, produced in great profusion. One of the most desirable shrubs on the list.

## Climbing Vines

#### **AMPELOPSIS VEITCHI** (Boston or Japan Ivy)

This variety which came from Japan in 1868 has found great favor throughout this country, and may be seen as a carpet of green on brick or stone walls all through the Summer months. It adheres without nailing to brick or stone.

**Price: 70c. each.**

#### **HALL'S JAPAN HONEYSUCKLE**

A strong variety, almost evergreen, holding its foliage until late in January. The flowers are pure white and yellow, very fragrant, and cover the vines from July until December. The best of all the honeysuckles.

**Price: 50c. each.**

**8 per cent discount on all cash orders received before April 1st; 3 per cent after that date.**

**CLIMBING VINES—Continued**

**DUTCHMAN'S PIPE**

A rapid growing climber, with large heart-shaped leaves and curious pipe-shaped yellow and brown flowers. Perfectly hardy and grows 20 feet or more in a season, making a dense shade.

Price: \$1.50 each.

**CLEMATIS**

Plant in rich soil, spreading the roots well apart, being very careful not to break them; dig a large hole, so as to afford them plenty of room.

**Clematis henryi.** Creamy white. A robust, free-flowering variety.

Price: \$1.00 each.

**jackmani.** Flowers, when fully expanded, are from 4 to 6 inches in diameter; intense violet purple, with a rich velvety appearance. An abundant bloomer.

Price: \$1.00 each.

**paniculata.** A vine of rapid growth suitable for covering trellises with glossy green. The small white flowers cover the plant in Autumn with a "sheet of bloom."

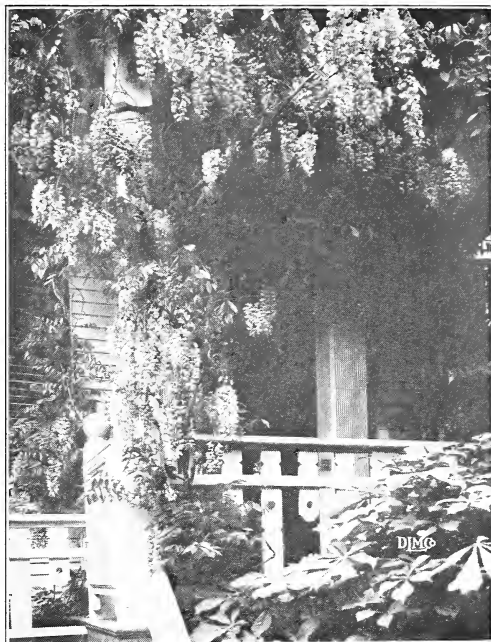
Price: 50c. each.

**WISTARIA (Blue)**

A very strong grower, after once established, that climbs high and twines tightly. It blooms very profusely early in the Summer, and again more sparingly later in the season.

There is also a **White Flowering** variety which is equally beautiful.

Price: 85c. each.

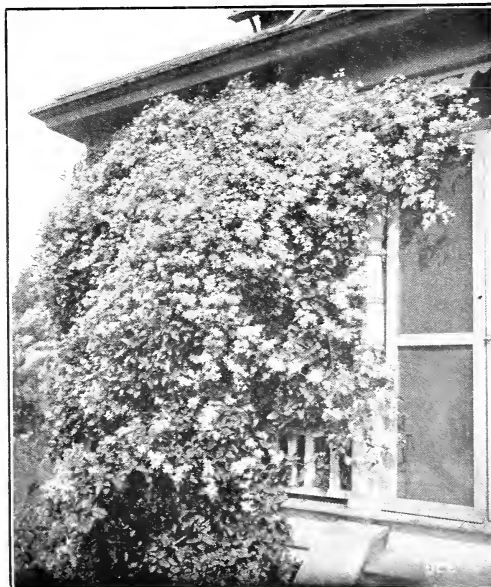


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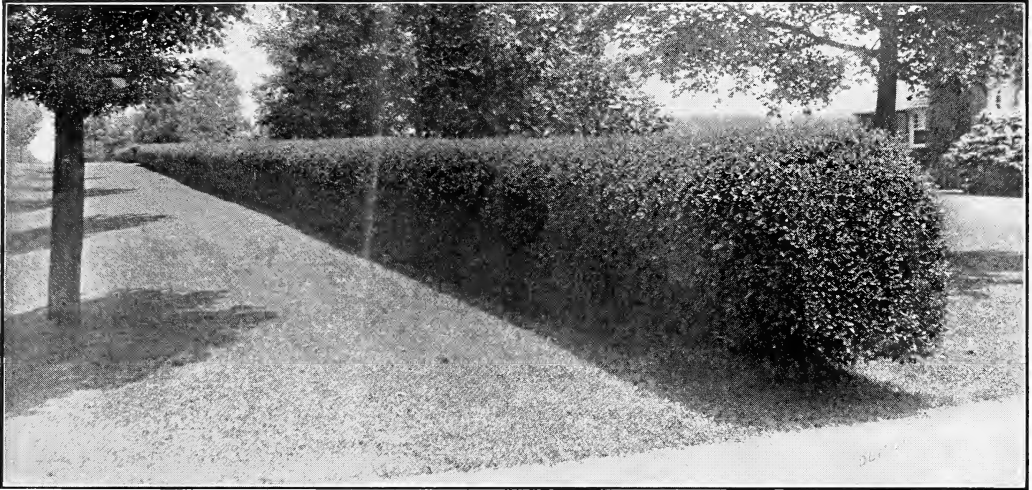
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Clematis jackmani



Clematis paniculata



California Privet

## Hedge Plants

To screen unsightly objects from view, to mark lines or boundaries, hedges are most useful, and with proper attention very ornamental.

For permanent all-around effect evergreens are desirable, and the best sorts for the purpose are American Arborvitae in variety, Norway and other Spruces. These can be allowed to grow at will or kept in any desired shape by shearing.

Among deciduous shrubs for ornamental hedges the **California Privet** is very popular, having a foliage of great beauty and permitting a shearing to an extent that would ruin most plants. But in certain situations and for certain uses there is another even better, the **Berberis thunbergi**, which for a low hedge has no equal.

This beautiful species from Japan, with round-drooping habit, spoon-shaped leaves of fine bril-

liant green in Summer, takes on from early Autumn till December the most glowing colors of any shrub or tree—crimson orange, bronze and green, with all the intermediate shades, blended in the foliage of a single bush, the effect being most extraordinary and beautiful. After the leaves fall, the branches are seen to be loaded down with scarlet-crimson berries, and these often hang until April, presenting a most beautiful effect, and it is also of great value to plant as "cover" where quail or other game birds are protected, as they feed greedily on its seeds. For a hedge 3 to 4 feet high it is the very best of all plants, being impenetrable, as it is thickly set with spurs.

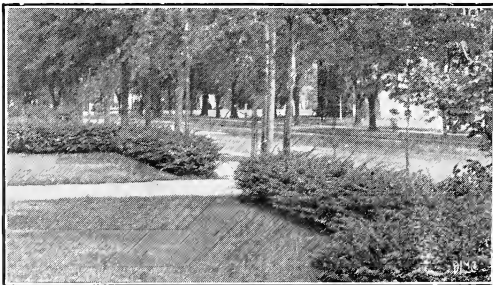
No other plant so fully meets every requirement of a hedge, combining beauty in all seasons, hardiness, compact growth, impenetrability and ease with which it may be kept in proper form.

We urge all intending to plant hedges to thoroughly prepare and enrich the soil, if of poor quality.

### PRICE OF HEDGE PLANTS

**California Privet**, 18 to 24 inches, 15c. each; \$1.25 per 10; \$7.50 per 100. 2 to 3 ft., 20c. each; \$1.50 per 10; \$8.50 per 100.

**Berberis thunbergi** 18 to 24 inches, 45c. each; \$4.00 per 10; \$30.00 per 100. 15 to 18 inches, 35c. each; \$3.00 per 10; \$25.00 per 100.



Berberis thunbergi





## Roses

The Rose is the greatest source of delight and pleasure to all lovers of the beautiful. They are a necessity to every well planned garden. We make a specialty of growing only choice Roses of hardy habit. Roses should be planted in a deep, rich, well-drained soil, so that the top roots are not less than two inches below the surface, and should be severely pruned every Spring before the buds start, cutting back the last growth to three to four buds, except Climbing Roses, which may be allowed to partly cover the space desired. Old decayed branches should never remain.

**Prices of all varieties of Roses:**

**First class 2 year No. 1 plants: 70c. each; \$6.50 per 10.**

### **ALFRED COLOMB**

A noble rose; large, globular flowers; bright rich crimson, dark and handsome. The bush is a strong, erect grower, entirely hardy and an abundant bloomer.

### **\* AMERICAN BEAUTY**

Color a deep pink to crimson and intensely fragrant. A great favorite.

### **ANNA DE DIESBACH**

Color a beautiful shade of carmine pink; flowers very large and sweet.

### **BARON DE BONSTETTEN**

Large flowers, very solid, round and full; dark, rich crimson, delightfully scented; free bloomer and of hardy and vigorous habit.

### **CLIO**

The perfection in Hybrid Perpetuals. Of delicate satin blush with a little deeper center. Large, well shaped and very double. Strong, robust, hardy and prolific.

### **CLOTHILDE SOUPERT**

Beautiful, creamy white color; flowers large, full, double, and deliciously sweet; constant bloomer.

### **COQUETTE DES ALPES**

White, shaded with carmine, strong grower, very popular.

### **J. B. CLARK**

An intense scarlet rose, shaded blackish crimson, color like the sheen of a plum, often 7 in. in diameter. It has created a great sensation throughout the United States and Europe. Flowers borne freely the first year, on long, stiff stems; fragrance very sweet. Hardy even in Canada.



Rose Alfred Colomb

**ROSES—Continued**

**FRAU KARL DRUSCHKI**  
(Snow Queen)

This exquisite rose is the only absolutely pure white rose ever introduced. Of German origin. It is perfectly hardy everywhere and a most vigorous grower. Although we have many so-called white roses, it is a fact that before the introduction of Frau Karl Druschki we had no pure white hardy rose.

**GENERAL JACQUEMINOT**

This lovely rose is seldom if ever omitted from any collection, and will ever be a favorite. Its clear, rich, brilliant crimson-scarlet color, large and elegant form, free-flowering habit and strong erect growth, all combine to captivate the heart of every lover of the beautiful. Perfectly hardy.

**GRUSS AN TEPLITZ**

A splendid sort; bright clear crimson; very sweet; flower fine form; very showy; a free bloomer.

**KILLARNEY**

A very beautiful coral pink Hybrid Tea Rose. Free in growth, producing strong, hardy shoots which are crowned with buds. A great favorite for winter flowers and worthy the high place it has attained. Needs protection in severe climates. The flowers are lasting, remaining clear and bright to the last. Delicate Tea Rose fragrance.



Rose Gerera' Jacqueminot



Frau Karl Druschki

**LA FRANCE**

Both buds and flowers are of lovely form, grand size and exceedingly sweet; color peach blossom pink, elegantly clouded with rosy flesh. Begins to bloom while very small and continues bearing until stopped by freezing weather.

**MAGNA CHARTA**

Extra large full flowers of unusual depth and substance; bright rosy pink; very profuse bloomer, on long, stiff stems.

**MADAM PLANTIER**

Enormous bloomer, extremely hardy, splendid for cemetery planting.

**MARGARET DICKSON**

Of magnificent form; white, with pale flesh center; petals very large, shell-shaped, and of great substance; fragrant, a very beautiful variety; foliage very large; dark green.

**MADAM CAROLINE TESTOUT**

A grand rose, with large, full flowers and handsome buds which resemble the famous La France rose, but the color is clear, rich pink, finely edged with silvery rose. A strong grower and abundant bearer.

**MARSHALL P. WILDER**

Extra large full flowers; dark deep red; very strong grower and free bloomer; very handsome.

**PERSIAN YELLOW**

Flowers are double and deep golden yellow. This rose belongs to the Austrian Briar class. Hardy and makes an interesting addition to the rose garden.

**ROSES—Continued**

**PAUL NEYRON**

Flowers of immense size; one of the largest roses grown and one of the finest; color deep shining rose, very fresh and pretty. It is a strong grower and remarkably free bloomer.

**SOLEIL D'OR**

Beautiful, long-pointed buds, opening to very large, full orange yellow flowers that vary to ruddy gold. A vigorous, upright grower with notable color.

**ULRICH BRUNNER**

One of the finest red roses in existence. Color brilliant cherry-red. This variety is a seedling of Paul Neyron from which it derives its immense size. It has fine form, is intensely fragrant, and the flowers have great lasting qualities, which make it valuable for cutting. The flowers are borne freely on long, stiff stems.

## Baby Ramblers

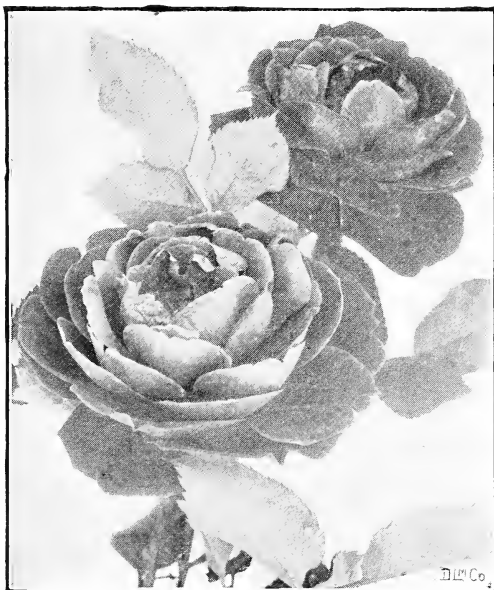
**Ever-blooming Dwarf Crimson Ramblers**

In this variety we have the wonderful Crimson Rambler reproduced in dwarf or bush form, with this added quality that the Baby Rambler is a ceaseless bloomer. Indoors it may be kept in flower all the year around, and out-of-doors it blooms continuously from June till after late frosts. In addition to the foregoing, these may be had in pink and white, known as Pink Baby and White Baby Ramblers. Very desirable for bedding and borders.



Paul Neyron

Whether your order is large or small it receives our painstaking attention. 48 years' experience back of the stock you buy from us.



Gruss an Teplitz



American Beauty Rose

## Climbing Roses

Price of all varieties of Climbing Roses:

First class 2 year No. 1 Plants: 65c. each; \$6.00 per 10.

### AMERICAN BEAUTY

This variety retains the deep pink to crimson color of the same beautiful flowers of the bush American Beauty. It grows to a height of fifteen feet and produces hundreds of perfect blooms at one time. The foliage is very handsome, and as this rose is perfectly hardy it can be grown practically anywhere without winter protection. It is without question one of the handsomest climbing roses ever introduced.

### BALTIMORE BELLE

Very double; blush white blossoms in large clusters.

### CRIMSON RAMBLER

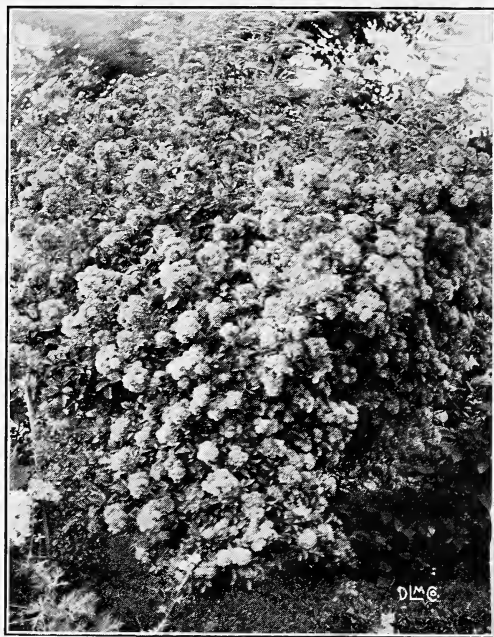
Glowing crimson flowers produced in great profusion in large, pyramidal trusses. A grand rose for porches or arbors or for training over a fence. One of the most popular varieties of the period.

### DOROTHY PERKINS

Shell-pink; extremely hardy, vigorous and a free bloomer, withstanding the most severe winters. Shoots grow frequently ten to fifteen feet in one season. Flowers are borne in enormous clusters of thirty or forty. They are perfectly double, and excellently adapted for cutting and decorating.

### FLOWER OF FAIRFIELD

A sport from the Crimson Rambler, which blooms at intervals during the summer until frosts.



Crimson Rambler

### QUEEN OF THE PRAIRIES

Bright pink flowers, full and compact, produced in profusion. Very hardy.

# Hardy Perennials and Bulbs

Perennials are hardy and easy to care for. By a careful selection of varieties, the garden or lawn can be made into a veritable fairyland from Spring until Fall. Perennials may be planted when the ground is mellow and warm in either Fall or Spring. They will thrive in any good soil. Prepare the ground by deep spading twelve to eighteen inches, and work it into a well pulverized condition.

**PEONIES**—Should be set with the crown two to three inches below the surface of the ground. Plant two to two and one-half feet apart. Mulch heavily after the ground is frozen and remove mulch in the Spring.

**PHLOX**—Set the crown one inch under the surface and spread out the roots. Firm well. Mulch in Winter. Water in Summer. Plant twelve inches apart.

**CANTERBURY BELLS (Campanula)**. Conceded one of the most beautiful border plants in cultivation, very free of bloom. Colors blue or white. Price: 35c. each; \$3.00 per doz.

**CHRYSANTHEMUMS**. Strong growing bushy plants that produce their large daisy-like flowers. Bloom from July to September. Assorted colors, 35c. each; \$3.00 per doz.

**CANNAS**. The tallest and bulkiest of the Summer bedding plants. Foliage of large size, rich shades of green, bronze, red and chocolate. The surmounting flower trusses are uniformly large and free, brilliant with colors.

Price: 35c. each; \$3.00 per doz.

**DAHLIAS**. A well known perennial. Blooms in Autumn. Selected hardy varieties in assorted colors. Price: 35c. each; \$3.00 per doz.

**GOLDENGLOW (Rudbeckia)**. Grows five to seven feet and blooms from early Summer until frost. Golden yellow flower.

Price: 25c. each; \$2.50 per doz.



**GLADIOLUS.** One of the best bulbs for Summer flowering. Makes a splendid effect when planted among Roses, Peonies and shrubbery. Varieties, white, red and pink. **Price: 25c. each; \$2.50 per doz.**

**HOLLYHOCKS.** Tall growing plants with large leaves and tall spikes of large funnel-shaped flowers. **Assorted colors, 25c. each; \$2.50 per doz.**

**GERMAN IRIS.** The tall sword-like leaves are interesting in themselves until the gorgeous flowers, with their unusual form, their beautiful variegation and numerous shades of color, make their appearance in May. **Assorted colors, 25c. each; \$2.50 per doz.**

**JAPANESE IRIS.** Blooms in June and July. For size of plant and flowers, shapeliness, richness of coloring, beauty of pattern and splendor of general effect, this variety is a general favorite. Flowers often measure ten to twelve inches across. **Assorted colors, 25c. each; \$2.50 per doz.**

**LARKSPUR (Delphinium).** Stately, tall growing perennial with many lobed leaves and long spikes of light and dark blue flowers in July and August. **Price: 25c. each; \$2.50 per doz.**

**SWEET WILLIAM (Dianthus).** Hardy, beautiful and free flowering; all stems from a tufted base bear round, numerous-flowered clusters of various tints and shades. **Price: 25c. each; \$2.50 per doz.**

## Perennial Phlox

Hardy and succeeds in any climate. Can be planted in large groups on the lawn, or in a row along the border of the roadway. Red, pink or white.

**Price: 25c. each; \$2.50 per doz.**

## Paeonia

One of the chief points in favor of the Paeonia is its hardiness. In the severest climate the plants require no protection. Their vigorous habit, healthy growth, freedom from disease and insects are in favor of their cultivation. When the Paeonia is once planted, all that is necessary has been done; they require no further care, and each succeeding year adds to their size and beauty. The foliage is rich and glossy, and of a beautiful deep green color, thus making the plants highly ornamental even when they are not in flower. The Paeonia can be planted either singly, on the lawn, or it can be used to excellent advantage to plant as a border line between lots. A large bed makes a most magnificent appearance.

### VARIETIES

- Albion.** Cherry rose, edged paler.
  - Artemise.** Rosy pink, center petals delicate rose and blush white, full double.
  - Camille Calot.** Light rose.
  - Clarissa.** Rosy pink, inner petals sulphur.
  - Comte de Diesbach.** Dark red, early.
  - Comte de Niepperg.** Dark rose-pink, large bloom.
  - Delachei.** Deep crimson-purple, one of the best dark kinds, late.
  - Grandiflora Rosea.** Light rose, outer petals very large; inner smaller and bunched; vigorous grower.
  - Hesperia.** Pink.
  - Phyrne.** Blush white.
  - Prince Imperial.** Brilliant, purplish-scarlet, free bloomer.
  - Queen Victoria.** The standard pure white market variety.
  - Rosea Plena Superba.** Very full flower, delicate pink and salmon.
- Price: Strong plants, with three to five good eyes, 50c. each; \$4.50 per 10.**



# KING BROTHERS NURSERIES

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